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## ABSTRACT

This Kids Count report examines statewide and county level trends in the well-being of Florida's children. Demographic information is presented along with a statistical portrait for the state and for each county based on indicators related to: (1) birth, including births to unwed mothers, births to teenage mothers, births receiving early prenatal care, low birthweight births, and infant mortality rate; (2) education, including graduation rate, student disciplinary actions, and percent all passing statewide mathematics and communications examination; (3) child well-being, including child deaths, teen violent death rate, dissolutions of marriage with children affected, and child abuse and neglect reports; (4) youth and the law, including delinquency cases received and juvenile detentions. The bulk of the report presents state and county level data on demographic information and the indicators for 1996-97. Thirteen appendices list state- and countywide data, with some indicators listed by race or age categories. The report concludes with information on terminology and data sources. (KB)

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# Florida's Children At A Glance

## The 1998 Statewide and County Update

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# **Florida's Children At A Glance**

## **The 1998 Statewide and County Update**



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## Introduction

This edition of *Florida's Children at a Glance: The 1998 Statewide and County Update* has been produced for our users as a quick reference to current, comprehensive data. The Florida KIDS COUNT project, established in 1992, utilizes core child well-being indicators identified by the national KIDS COUNT program of the Annie E. Casey Foundation. As we gain a heightened awareness of the need to improve our children's lives, the need for consistent, reliable information becomes increasingly critical. We continue to explore data base elements to expand the ongoing development of a comprehensive snapshot on the condition of Florida's children. Florida KIDS COUNT remains dedicated to providing resources to assist educators, policymakers, government agencies, child advocates, and concerned citizens.

The data presented here are collected on an annual basis and are available in a variety of formats. Further information on county level data, data sources and comparable information from other states and the nation as a whole can be obtained. Hopefully, this publication and all efforts of Florida KIDS COUNT will continue to provide a sense of direction for collaborative efforts, assuring a brighter future for all Floridians.

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Bay  
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Calhoun  
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Dade  
DeSoto  
Dixie  
Duval  
Escambia  
Flagler  
Franklin  
Gadsden  
Gilchrist  
Glades

Gulf  
Hamilton  
Hardee  
Hendry  
Hernando  
Highlands  
Hillsborough  
Holmes  
Indian River  
Jackson  
Jefferson  
Lafayette  
Lake  
Lee  
Leon  
Levy  
Liberty  
Madison  
Manatee  
Marion  
Martin  
Monroe

Nassau  
Okaloosa  
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Orange  
Osceola  
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Pasco  
Pinellas  
Polk  
Putnam  
St. Johns  
St. Lucie  
Santa Rosa  
Sarasota  
Seminole  
Sumter  
Suwannee  
Taylor  
Union  
Volusia  
Wakulla  
Walton  
Washington





## **Florida's Children At A Glance**

## Florida's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                                | Total      | White      | Nonwhite  |
|--------------------------------|------------|------------|-----------|
| • Total Population .....       | 14,411,563 | 12,046,918 | 2,364,645 |
| • Number of Children <18 ..... | 3,262,183  | 2,445,793  | 816,390   |
| • Age 0-4 .....                | 992,955    | 726,777    | 266,178   |
| • Age 5-9 .....                | 924,561    | 697,923    | 226,638   |
| • Age 10-14 .....              | 876,366    | 666,067    | 210,299   |
| • Age 15-17 .....              | 468,301    | 355,026    | 113,275   |
| • Age 18-19 .....              | 826,854    | 633,861    | 192,993   |
| • Age 20-24 .....              | 898,519    | 705,925    | 192,594   |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                      |                  |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count]) .....         | 2,239,411        |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) ..... | 329,961          |
| • Graduation Rate .....                                              | 73.2             |
| • Number of Non-Promotions .....                                     | 112,948          |
| • Number of Dropouts .....                                           | 31,926           |
| • Disciplinary Actions                                               |                  |
| • Corporal Punishments .....                                         | 13,817           |
| • In-School Suspensions .....                                        | 224,431          |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions .....                                    | 215,685          |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions .....                             | 4,885            |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96) .....                           | 75               |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96) .....                 | 77               |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch ...         | 974,496 (43.52%) |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                                    | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received ..... | 173,753 (108,324)       | 99,669 (65,551)         | 72,273 (41,585)                    |
| • Juvenile Detentions .....        | 31,879 (21,506)         | 15,563 (10,873)         | 16,041 (10,436)                    |
| • Transfers to Adult Court .....   | 6,570 (4,952)           | 2,926 (2,185)           | 3,577 (2,718)                      |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                           | Total           | White           | Nonwhite       |
|-------------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|----------------|
| • Number of Births .....                  | 189,338         | 142,391         | 46,848         |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population) ..... | 13.1            | 11.8            | 19.5           |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers .....           | 68,082 (36.0%)  | 38,509 (27.0%)  | 29,546 (63.1%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20 .....       | 20,312 (10.7%)  | 10,915 (7.7%)   | 9,389 (20.0%)  |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20 .....       | 47,759 (25.2%)  | 27,586 (19.4%)  | 20,155 (43.0%) |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20 .....         | 25,437 (13.4%)  | 15,554 (10.9%)  | 9,875 (21.1%)  |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17 .....         | 40.9            | 30.8            | 71.9           |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-19 .....         | 60.3            | 48.8            | 97.1           |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care .. | 155,850 (83.3%) | 122,062 (86.5%) | 33,746 (73.4%) |
| • Low Birthweight Births .....            | 14,886 (7.9%)   | 9,337 (6.6%)    | 5,537 (11.8%)  |
| • Number of Infant Deaths .....           | 1,405           | 821             | 583            |
| • Infant Mortality Rate .....             | 7.4             | 5.8             | 12.4           |

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                       |        |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------|--------|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14 .....                                        | 775    |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19 .....                                | 486    |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000) .....               | 5.8    |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected .....               | 32,613 |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage ... | 53,988 |

#### 1996/97

|                                                                    |         |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|---------|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment .....          | 97,478  |
| • No Indication .....                                              | 49,956  |
| • Some Indication .....                                            | 34,942  |
| • Verified .....                                                   | 11,856  |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed ..... | 118,960 |
| • Abuse .....                                                      | 34,056  |
| • Neglect .....                                                    | 48,024  |
| • Threatened Harm .....                                            | 34,052  |

## Alachua County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                                | Total   | White   | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------------|---------|---------|----------|
| • Total Population .....       | 202,140 | 158,835 | 43,305   |
| • Number of Children <18 ..... | 44,629  | 30,745  | 13,884   |
| • Age 0-4 .....                | 13,975  | 9,846   | 4,129    |
| • Age 5-9 .....                | 12,610  | 8,584   | 4,026    |
| • Age 10-14 .....              | 11,694  | 8,151   | 3,543    |
| • Age 15-17 .....              | 6,350   | 4,164   | 2,186    |
| • Age 18-19 .....              | 19,012  | 14,377  | 4,635    |
| • Age 20-24 .....              | 31,643  | 25,850  | 5,793    |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                      |                 |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count]) .....         | 29,647          |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) ..... | 3,427           |
| • Graduation Rate .....                                              | 78.4            |
| • Number of Non-Promotions .....                                     | 1,285           |
| • Number of Dropouts .....                                           | 473             |
| • Disciplinary Actions .....                                         |                 |
| • Corporal Punishments .....                                         | 0               |
| • In-School Suspensions .....                                        | 3,174           |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions .....                                    | 3,585           |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions .....                             | 0               |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96) .....                           | 80              |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96) .....                 | 86              |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch .....       | 13,477 (45.46%) |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                                    | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received ..... | 2,192 (1,367)           | 848 (586)               | 1,330 (773)                        |
| • Juvenile Detentions .....        | 340 (241)               | 114 (82)                | 223 (156)                          |
| • Transfers to Adult Court .....   | 115 (86)                | 38 (29)                 | 74 (56)                            |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                              | Total         | White         | Nonwhite    |
|----------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|-------------|
| • Number of Births .....                     | 2,480         | 1,666         | 813         |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population) .....    | 12.3          | 10.5          | 18.7        |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers .....              | 853 (34.4%)   | 349 (20.9%)   | 504 (62.0%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20 .....          | 264 (10.6%)   | 96 (5.8%)     | 168 (20.7%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20 .....          | 589 (23.8%)   | 253 (15.2%)   | 336 (41.3%) |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20 .....            | 329 (13.3%)   | 146 (8.8%)    | 183 (22.5%) |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17 .....            | 34.9          | 18.0          | 68.6        |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-19 .....            | 32.4          | 19.3          | 73.8        |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care ..... | 2,001 (81.3%) | 1,441 (87.1%) | 560 (69.6%) |
| • Low Birthweight Births .....               | 211 (8.5%)    | 108 (6.5%)    | 103 (12.7%) |
| • Number of Infant Deaths .....              | 27            | 11            | 16          |
| • Infant Mortality Rate .....                | 10.9          | 6.6           | 19.7        |

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                         |     |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14 .....                                          | 7   |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19 .....                                  | 5   |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000) .....                 | 2.6 |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected .....                 | 434 |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage ..... | 730 |

#### 1996/97

|                                                                    |       |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment .....          | 1,289 |
| • No Indication .....                                              | 734   |
| • Some Indication .....                                            | 435   |
| • Verified .....                                                   | 119   |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed ..... | 1,222 |
| • Abuse .....                                                      | 400   |
| • Neglect .....                                                    | 468   |
| • Threatened Harm .....                                            | 313   |

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## Baker County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                                | Total  | White  | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------------|--------|--------|----------|
| • Total Population .....       | 20,709 | 17,526 | 3,183    |
| • Number of Children <18 ..... | 5,830  | 4,987  | 843      |
| • Age 0-4 .....                | 1,550  | 1,291  | 259      |
| • Age 5-9 .....                | 1,556  | 1,337  | 219      |
| • Age 10-14 .....              | 1,650  | 1,434  | 216      |
| • Age 15-17 .....              | 1,074  | 925    | 149      |
| • Age 15-19 .....              | 1,695  | 1,442  | 253      |
| • Age 20-24 .....              | 1,779  | 1,422  | 357      |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                      |                |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count]) .....         | 4,630          |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) ..... | 9              |
| • Graduation Rate .....                                              | 82.3           |
| • Number of Non-Promotions .....                                     | 326            |
| • Number of Dropouts .....                                           | 80             |
| • Disciplinary Actions .....                                         |                |
| • Corporal Punishments .....                                         | 641            |
| • In-School Suspensions .....                                        | 985            |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions .....                                    | 450            |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions .....                             | 4              |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96) .....                           | 64             |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96) .....                 | 75             |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch .....       | 1,939 (41.88%) |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                                    | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received ..... | 213 (140)               | 142 (96)                | 69 (42)                            |
| • Juvenile Detentions .....        | 42 (30)                 | 21 (15)                 | 21 (15)                            |
| • Transfers to Adult Court .....   | 12 (8)                  | 3 (3)                   | 9 (5)                              |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                              | Total       | White       | Nonwhite    |
|----------------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| • Number of Births .....                     | 282         | 243         | 39          |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population) .....    | 13.6        | 13.8        | 12.2        |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers .....              | 105 (37.2%) | 76 (31.3%)  | 29 (74.4*%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20 .....          | 33 (11.7%)  | 30 (12.3%)  | 3 (7.7*%)   |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20 .....          | 72 (25.5%)  | 46 (18.9%)  | 26 (66.7*%) |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20 .....            | 51 (18.1%)  | 48 (19.8%)  | 3 (7.7*%)   |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17 .....            | 38.0        | 41.7        | 14.3*       |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-19 .....            | 63.0        | 68.0        | 29.1        |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care ..... | 231 (86.2%) | 201 (87.8%) | 30 (76.9*%) |
| • Low Birthweight Births .....               | 22 (7.8%)   | 15 (6.2%)   | 7 (17.9*%)  |
| • Number of Infant Deaths .....              | 3           | 3           | 0           |
| • Infant Mortality Rate .....                | 10.6        | 12.3        | 0.0*        |

\* unreliable ratios, denominator <100

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                         |     |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14 .....                                          | 1   |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19 .....                                  | 0   |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000) .....                 | 0.0 |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected .....                 | 61  |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage ..... | 115 |

#### 1996/97

|                                                                    |     |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment .....          | 187 |
| • No Indication .....                                              | 107 |
| • Some Indication .....                                            | 63  |
| • Verified .....                                                   | 17  |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed ..... | 239 |
| • Abuse .....                                                      | 45  |
| • Neglect .....                                                    | 105 |
| • Threatened Harm .....                                            | 88  |

## Bay County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                                | Total   | White   | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------------|---------|---------|----------|
| • Total Population .....       | 142,159 | 121,736 | 20,423   |
| • Number of Children <18 ..... | 36,445  | 29,137  | 7,308    |
| • Age 0-4 .....                | 10,733  | 8,474   | 2,259    |
| • Age 5-9 .....                | 10,466  | 8,416   | 2,050    |
| • Age 10-14 .....              | 9,795   | 7,888   | 1,907    |
| • Age 15-17 .....              | 5,451   | 4,359   | 1,092    |
| • Age 18-19 .....              | 9,289   | 7,544   | 1,745    |
| • Age 20-24 .....              | 9,586   | 7,888   | 1,698    |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                      |                 |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count]) .....         | 25,667          |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) ..... | 1,943           |
| • Graduation Rate .....                                              | 70.8            |
| • Number of Non-Promotions .....                                     | 1,149           |
| • Number of Dropouts .....                                           | 331             |
| • Disciplinary Actions .....                                         |                 |
| • Corporal Punishments .....                                         | 48              |
| • In-School Suspensions .....                                        | 877             |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions .....                                    | 1,044           |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions .....                             | 67              |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96) .....                           | 71              |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96) .....                 | 75              |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch .....       | 11,671 (45.47%) |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                                    | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received ..... | 1,755 (1,164)           | 1,250 (838)             | 484 (310)                          |
| • Juvenile Detentions .....        | 283 (219)               | 188 (144)               | 93 (73)                            |
| • Transfers to Adult Court .....   | 63 (39)                 | 39 (25)                 | 21 (13)                            |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                              | Total         | White         | Nonwhite    |
|----------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|-------------|
| • Number of Births .....                     | 1,958         | 1,585         | 368         |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population) .....    | 13.8          | 13.0          | 17.8        |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers .....              | 636 (32.5%)   | 407 (25.7%)   | 229 (62.2%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20 .....          | 209 (10.7%)   | 130 (8.2%)    | 79 (21.5%)  |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20 .....          | 427 (21.8%)   | 277 (17.5%)   | 150 (40.8%) |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20 .....            | 305 (15.6%)   | 221 (13.9%)   | 84 (22.8%)  |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17 .....            | 39.8          | 34.4          | 60.5        |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 18-19 .....            | 66.0          | 59.4          | 93.3        |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care ..... | 1,617 (83.7%) | 1,348 (85.9%) | 267 (74.8%) |
| • Low Birthweight Births .....               | 154 (7.9%)    | 101 (6.4%)    | 52 (14.1%)  |
| • Number of Infant Deaths .....              | 26            | 13            | 13          |
| • Infant Mortality Rate .....                | 13.3          | 8.2           | 35.3        |

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                         |     |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14 .....                                          | 7   |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19 .....                                  | 9   |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000) .....                 | 9.6 |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected .....                 | 458 |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage ..... | 740 |

#### 1996/97

|                                                                    |       |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment .....          | 1,836 |
| • No Indication .....                                              | 987   |
| • Some Indication .....                                            | 538   |
| • Verified .....                                                   | 281   |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed ..... | 2,342 |
| • Abuse .....                                                      | 521   |
| • Neglect .....                                                    | 1,006 |
| • Threatened Harm .....                                            | 731   |

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## Bradford County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                                | Total  | White  | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------------|--------|--------|----------|
| • Total Population .....       | 24,983 | 19,175 | 5,808    |
| • Number of Children <18 ..... | 5,728  | 4,466  | 1,262    |
| • Age 0-4 .....                | 1,769  | 1,366  | 403      |
| • Age 5-9 .....                | 1,489  | 1,161  | 328      |
| • Age 10-14 .....              | 1,502  | 1,202  | 300      |
| • Age 15-17 .....              | 968    | 737    | 231      |
| • Age 15-19 .....              | 1,600  | 1,205  | 395      |
| • Age 20-24 .....              | 2,006  | 1,251  | 755      |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                      |                |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count]) .....         | 4,192          |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) ..... | 90             |
| • Graduation Rate .....                                              | 61.2           |
| • Number of Non-Promotions .....                                     | 274            |
| • Number of Dropouts .....                                           | 79             |
| • Disciplinary Actions                                               |                |
| • Corporal Punishments .....                                         | 215            |
| • In-School Suspensions .....                                        | 955            |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions .....                                    | 448            |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions .....                             | 7              |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96) .....                           | 67             |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96) .....                 | 77             |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch .....       | 2,241 (53.46%) |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                                    | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received ..... | 295 (173)               | 218 (122)               | 77 (51)                            |
| • Juvenile Detentions .....        | 58 (38)                 | 37 (23)                 | 21 (15)                            |
| • Transfers to Adult Court .....   | 11 (9)                  | 7 (5)                   | 4 (4)                              |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                              | Total       | White       | Nonwhite    |
|----------------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| • Number of Births .....                     | 323         | 261         | 62          |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population) .....    | 13.1        | 13.8        | 10.7        |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers .....              | 113 (35.0%) | 63 (24.1%)  | 50 (80.6*%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20 .....          | 47 (14.6%)  | 26 (10.0%)  | 21 (33.9*%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20 .....          | 66 (20.4%)  | 37 (14.2%)  | 29 (46.8*%) |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20 .....            | 66 (20.4%)  | 45 (17.2%)  | 21 (33.9*%) |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17 .....            | 63.2        | 51.4        | 107.5*      |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-19 .....            | 92.3        | 79.8        | 139.1       |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care ..... | 258 (80.4%) | 222 (85.4%) | 36 (59.0*%) |
| • Low Birthweight Births .....               | 23 (7.1%)   | 14 (5.4%)   | 9 (14.5*%)  |
| • Number of Infant Deaths .....              | 5           | 0           | 5           |
| • Infant Mortality Rate .....                | 15.5        | 0.0         | 80.6*       |

\* unreliable ratios, denominator <100

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                         |     |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14 .....                                          | 3   |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19 .....                                  | 0   |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000) .....                 | 0.0 |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected .....                 | 76  |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage ..... | 121 |

#### 1996/97

|                                                                    |     |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment .....          | 217 |
| • No Indication .....                                              | 113 |
| • Some Indication .....                                            | 83  |
| • Verified .....                                                   | 21  |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed ..... | 284 |
| • Abuse .....                                                      | 60  |
| • Neglect .....                                                    | 118 |
| • Threatened Harm .....                                            | 103 |



## Brevard County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                                | Total   | White   | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------------|---------|---------|----------|
| • Total Population .....       | 450,164 | 403,554 | 46,610   |
| • Number of Children <18 ..... | 99,940  | 84,282  | 15,658   |
| • Age 0-4 .....                | 27,898  | 23,279  | 4,619    |
| • Age 5-9 .....                | 28,889  | 24,345  | 4,544    |
| • Age 10-14 .....              | 28,695  | 24,441  | 4,254    |
| • Age 15-17 .....              | 14,458  | 12,217  | 2,241    |
| • Age 18-19 .....              | 25,163  | 21,440  | 3,723    |
| • Age 20-24 .....              | 25,197  | 21,443  | 3,754    |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                      |                 |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count]) .....         | 66,664          |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) ..... | 9,943           |
| • Graduation Rate .....                                              | 72.4            |
| • Number of Non-Promotions .....                                     | 1,591           |
| • Number of Dropouts .....                                           | 349             |
| • Disciplinary Actions                                               |                 |
| • Corporal Punishments .....                                         | 0               |
| • In-School Suspensions .....                                        | 1,291           |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions .....                                    | 3,800           |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions .....                             | 23              |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96) .....                           | 80              |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96) .....                 | 82              |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch .....       | 19,893 (29.84%) |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                                    | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received ..... | 5,336 (3,111)           | 3,663 (2,276)           | 1,617 (797)                        |
| • Juvenile Detentions .....        | 1,087 (733)             | 653 (469)               | 424 (258)                          |
| • Transfers to Adult Court .....   | 85 (67)                 | 42 (33)                 | 42 (33)                            |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                              | Total         | White         | Nonwhite    |
|----------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|-------------|
| • Number of Births .....                     | 5,004         | 4,247         | 756         |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population) .....    | 11.0          | 10.4          | 15.8        |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers .....              | 1,455 (29.1%) | 1,020 (24.0%) | 434 (57.4%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20 .....          | 438 (8.8%)    | 285 (6.7%)    | 152 (20.1%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20 .....          | 1,017 (20.3%) | 735 (17.3%)   | 282 (37.3%) |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20 .....            | 554 (11.1%)   | 396 (9.3%)    | 157 (20.8%) |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17 .....            | 25.7          | 19.1          | 59.1        |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-19 .....            | 42.4          | 36.1          | 77.6        |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care ..... | 4,333 (87.1%) | 3,749 (88.8%) | 584 (77.7%) |
| • Low Birthweight Births .....               | 334 (6.7%)    | 263 (6.2%)    | 71 (9.4%)   |
| • Number of Infant Deaths .....              | 29            | 23            | 6           |
| • Infant Mortality Rate .....                | 5.8           | 5.4           | 7.9         |

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                         |       |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14 .....                                          | 21    |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19 .....                                  | 9     |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000) .....                 | 5.4   |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected .....                 | 766   |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage ..... | 1,269 |

#### 1996/97

|                                                                    |       |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment .....          | 2,943 |
| • No Indication .....                                              | 1,077 |
| • Some Indication .....                                            | 1,359 |
| • Verified .....                                                   | 499   |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed ..... | 5,186 |
| • Abuse .....                                                      | 1,391 |
| • Neglect .....                                                    | 2,148 |
| • Threatened Harm .....                                            | 1,579 |

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## Broward County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                                | Total     | White     | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------------|-----------|-----------|----------|
| • Total Population .....       | 1,392,252 | 1,111,467 | 280,845  |
| • Number of Children <18 ..... | 302,696   | 203,279   | 99,417   |
| • Age 0-4 .....                | 93,552    | 61,750    | 31,802   |
| • Age 5-9 .....                | 87,756    | 59,385    | 28,371   |
| • Age 10-14 .....              | 80,898    | 54,482    | 26,416   |
| • Age 15-17 .....              | 40,490    | 27,662    | 12,828   |
| • Age 15-19 .....              | 68,167    | 47,241    | 20,926   |
| • Age 20-24 .....              | 72,828    | 53,756    | 19,072   |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                              | Total          | White          | Nonwhite      |
|----------------------------------------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|
| • Number of Births .....                     | 19,927         | 13,219         | 6,696         |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population) .....    | 14.3           | 12.0           | 23.2          |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers .....              | 6,624 (33.2%)  | 2,809 (21.3%)  | 3,813 (56.9%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20 .....          | 1,702 (8.5%)   | 640 (4.8%)     | 1,061 (15.8%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20 .....          | 4,921 (24.7%)  | 2,168 (16.4%)  | 2,752 (41.1%) |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20 .....            | 1,937 (9.7%)   | 828 (6.3%)     | 1,108 (16.5%) |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17 .....            | 36.2           | 21.4           | 66.4          |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-19 .....            | 54.8           | 34.9           | 97.3          |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care ..... | 16,762 (86.0%) | 11,742 (90.2%) | 5,010 (77.4%) |
| • Low Birthweight Births .....               | 1,623 (8.1%)   | 857 (6.5%)     | 765 (11.4%)   |
| • Number of Infant Deaths .....              | 146            | 63             | 83            |
| • Infant Mortality Rate .....                | 7.3            | 4.8            | 12.4          |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                      |                 |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count]) .....         | 215,557         |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) ..... | 37,428          |
| • Graduation Rate .....                                              | 72.5            |
| • Number of Non-Promotions .....                                     | 5,997           |
| • Number of Dropouts .....                                           | 1,780           |
| • Disciplinary Actions                                               |                 |
| • Corporal Punishments .....                                         | 0               |
| • In-School Suspensions .....                                        | 16,048          |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions .....                                    | 15,519          |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions .....                             | 0               |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96) .....                           | 71              |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96) .....                 | 72              |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch .....       | 79,303 (36.79%) |

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                         |       |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14 .....                                          | 75    |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19 .....                                  | 37    |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000) .....                 | 5.3   |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected .....                 | 2,308 |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage ..... | 3,785 |

#### 1996/97

|                                                                    |       |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment .....          | 6,989 |
| • No Indication .....                                              | 4,199 |
| • Some Indication .....                                            | 1,993 |
| • Verified .....                                                   | 743   |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed ..... | 6,281 |
| • Abuse .....                                                      | 1,774 |
| • Neglect .....                                                    | 2,457 |
| • Threatened Harm .....                                            | 1,898 |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                                    | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received ..... | 14,627 (8,987)          | 5,772 (4,015)           | 8,621 (4,798)                      |
| • Juvenile Detentions .....        | 2,348 (1,612)           | 565 (452)               | 1,762 (1,143)                      |
| • Transfers to Adult Court .....   | 382 (281)               | 117 (81)                | 260 (195)                          |

## Calhoun County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                                | Total  | White  | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------------|--------|--------|----------|
| • Total Population .....       | 12,504 | 10,138 | 2,366    |
| • Number of Children <18 ..... | 2,858  | 2,288  | 570      |
| • Age 0-4 .....                | 810    | 657    | 153      |
| • Age 5-9 .....                | 720    | 559    | 161      |
| • Age 10-14 .....              | 813    | 654    | 159      |
| • Age 15-17 .....              | 515    | 418    | 97       |
| • Age 18-19 .....              | 872    | 705    | 167      |
| • Age 20-24 .....              | 1,067  | 772    | 295      |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                      |                |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count]) .....         | 2,288          |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) ..... | 0              |
| • Graduation Rate .....                                              | 68.1           |
| • Number of Non-Promotions .....                                     | 110            |
| • Number of Dropouts .....                                           | 24             |
| • Disciplinary Actions .....                                         |                |
| • Corporal Punishments .....                                         | 136            |
| • In-School Suspensions .....                                        | 109            |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions .....                                    | 178            |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions .....                             | 0              |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96) .....                           | 82             |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96) .....                 | 88             |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch .....       | 1,088 (47.55%) |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                                    | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received ..... | 89 (58)                 | 40 (28)                 | 49 (30)                            |
| • Juvenile Detentions .....        | 27 (15)                 | 13 (9)                  | 14 (6)                             |
| • Transfers to Adult Court .....   | 4 (4)                   | 2 (2)                   | 2 (2)                              |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                              | Total       | White       | Nonwhite    |
|----------------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| • Number of Births .....                     | 144         | 122         | 22          |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population) .....    | 11.7        | 12.2        | 9.3         |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers .....              | 45 (31.3%)  | 28 (23.0%)  | 17 (77.3*%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20 .....          | 15 (10.4%)  | 6 (4.9%)    | 9 (40.9*%)  |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20 .....          | 30 (20.8%)  | 22 (18.0%)  | 8 (36.4*%)  |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20 .....            | 25 (17.4%)  | 15 (12.3%)  | 10 (45.5*%) |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17 .....            | 20.2        | 5.1         | 80.0*       |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-19 .....            | 56.2        | 42.2        | 116.9*      |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care ..... | 128 (88.9%) | 110 (90.2%) | 18 (81.8*%) |
| • Low Birthweight Births .....               | 12 (8.3%)   | 10 (8.2%)   | 2 (9.1*%)   |
| • Number of Infant Deaths .....              | 2           | 2           | 0           |
| • Infant Mortality Rate .....                | 13.9        | 16.4        | 0.0*        |

\* unreliable ratios, denominator <100

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                         |      |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|------|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14 .....                                          | 0    |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19 .....                                  | 1    |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000) .....                 | 11.8 |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected .....                 | 34   |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage ..... | 60   |

#### 1996/97

|                                                                    |     |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment .....          | 131 |
| • No Indication .....                                              | 61  |
| • Some Indication .....                                            | 61  |
| • Verified .....                                                   | 8   |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed ..... | 152 |
| • Abuse .....                                                      | 49  |
| • Neglect .....                                                    | 44  |
| • Threatened Harm .....                                            | 55  |

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## Charlotte County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                                | Total   | White   | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------------|---------|---------|----------|
| • Total Population .....       | 129,468 | 122,025 | 7,443    |
| • Number of Children <18 ..... | 20,553  | 18,645  | 1,908    |
| • Age 0-4 .....                | 5,397   | 4,917   | 480      |
| • Age 5-9 .....                | 5,820   | 5,275   | 545      |
| • Age 10-14 .....              | 5,925   | 5,420   | 505      |
| • Age 15-17 .....              | 3,411   | 3,033   | 378      |
| • Age 18-19 .....              | 5,691   | 5,109   | 582      |
| • Age 20-24 .....              | 5,195   | 4,606   | 589      |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                      |                |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count]) .....         | 16,088         |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) ..... | 939            |
| • Graduation Rate .....                                              | 74.5           |
| • Number of Non-Promotions .....                                     | 257            |
| • Number of Dropouts .....                                           | 192            |
| • Disciplinary Actions                                               |                |
| • Corporal Punishments .....                                         | 0              |
| • In-School Suspensions .....                                        | 382            |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions .....                                    | 1,498          |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions .....                             | 0              |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96) .....                           | 84             |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96) .....                 | 86             |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch .....       | 6,751 (41.96%) |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                                    | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received ..... | 898 (645)               | 802 (576)               | 96 (69)                            |
| • Juvenile Detentions .....        | 147 (117)               | 123 (95)                | 24 (22)                            |
| • Transfers to Adult Court .....   | 22 (19)                 | 13 (12)                 | 9 (7)                              |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                              | Total       | White       | Nonwhite    |
|----------------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| • Number of Births .....                     | 993         | 912         | 81          |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population) .....    | 7.5         | 7.3         | 10.3        |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers .....              | 312 (31.4%) | 276 (30.3%) | 36 (44.4*%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20 .....          | 91 (9.2%)   | 79 (8.7%)   | 12 (14.8*%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20 .....          | 221 (22.3%) | 197 (21.6%) | 24 (29.6*%) |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20 .....            | 118 (11.9%) | 106 (11.6%) | 12 (14.8*%) |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17 .....            | 24.4        | 23.7        | 30.0        |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-19 .....            | 39.9        | 40.0        | 38.3        |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care ..... | 789 (79.9%) | 735 (81.0%) | 54 (67.5*%) |
| • Low Birthweight Births .....               | 65 (6.5%)   | 60 (6.6%)   | 5 (6.2*%)   |
| • Number of Infant Deaths .....              | 3           | 3           | 0           |
| • Infant Mortality Rate .....                | 3.0         | 3.3         | 0.0*        |

\* unreliable ratios, denominator <100

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                         |     |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14 .....                                          | 1   |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19 .....                                  | 1   |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000) .....                 | 1.7 |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected .....                 | 180 |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage ..... | 318 |

#### 1996/97

|                                                                    |     |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment .....          | 616 |
| • No Indication .....                                              | 346 |
| • Some Indication .....                                            | 229 |
| • Verified .....                                                   | 39  |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed ..... | 736 |
| • Abuse .....                                                      | 206 |
| • Neglect .....                                                    | 275 |
| • Threatened Harm .....                                            | 246 |

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## Citrus County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                                | Total   | White   | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------------|---------|---------|----------|
| • Total Population .....       | 107,889 | 104,319 | 3,570    |
| • Number of Children <18 ..... | 18,051  | 16,880  | 1,171    |
| • Age 0-4 .....                | 4,567   | 4,242   | 325      |
| • Age 5-9 .....                | 5,053   | 4,750   | 303      |
| • Age 10-14 .....              | 5,413   | 5,066   | 347      |
| • Age 15-17 .....              | 3,018   | 2,822   | 196      |
| • Age 18-19 .....              | 4,735   | 4,436   | 299      |
| • Age 20-24 .....              | 3,986   | 3,758   | 228      |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                      |                |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count]) .....         | 14,194         |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) ..... | 787            |
| • Graduation Rate .....                                              | 66.7           |
| • Number of Non-Promotions .....                                     | 381            |
| • Number of Dropouts .....                                           | 291            |
| • Disciplinary Actions                                               |                |
| • Corporal Punishments .....                                         | 42             |
| • In-School Suspensions .....                                        | 2,079          |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions .....                                    | 1,308          |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions .....                             | 0              |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96) .....                           | 85             |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96) .....                 | 87             |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch .....       | 5,992 (42.22%) |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                                    | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received ..... | 814 (539)               | 759 (499)               | 50 (36)                            |
| • Juvenile Detentions .....        | 171 (119)               | 158 (110)               | 13 (9)                             |
| • Transfers to Adult Court .....   | 18 (11)                 | 13 (7)                  | 5 (4)                              |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                              | Total       | White       | Nonwhite    |
|----------------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| • Number of Births .....                     | 871         | 819         | 52          |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population) .....    | 7.9         | 7.7         | 14.2        |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers .....              | 286 (32.8%) | 263 (32.1%) | 23 (44.2*%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20 .....          | 81 (9.3%)   | 76 (9.3%)   | 5 (9.6*%)   |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20 .....          | 205 (23.5%) | 187 (22.8%) | 18 (34.6*%) |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20 .....            | 114 (13.1%) | 109 (13.3%) | 5 (9.6*%)   |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17 .....            | 25.7        | 24.8        | 36.7        |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-19 .....            | 47.2        | 48.4        | 31.1        |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care ..... | 751 (86.2%) | 711 (86.8%) | 40 (76.9*%) |
| • Low Birthweight Births .....               | 63 (7.2%)   | 59 (7.2%)   | 4 (7.7*%)   |
| • Number of Infant Deaths .....              | 9           | 9           | 0           |
| • Infant Mortality Rate .....                | 10.3        | 11.0        | 0.0*        |

\* unreliable ratios, denominator <100

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                         |     |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14 .....                                          | 4   |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19 .....                                  | 4   |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000) .....                 | 8.2 |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected .....                 | 183 |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage ..... | 300 |

#### 1996/97

|                                                                    |     |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment .....          | 759 |
| • No Indication .....                                              | 401 |
| • Some Indication .....                                            | 234 |
| • Verified .....                                                   | 119 |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed ..... | 844 |
| • Abuse .....                                                      | 271 |
| • Neglect .....                                                    | 314 |
| • Threatened Harm .....                                            | 245 |

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## Clay County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                                | Total   | White   | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------------|---------|---------|----------|
| • Total Population .....       | 125,431 | 114,485 | 10,946   |
| • Number of Children <18 ..... | 35,052  | 30,905  | 4,147    |
| • Age 0-4 .....                | 8,775   | 7,549   | 1,226    |
| • Age 5-9 .....                | 9,687   | 8,449   | 1,238    |
| • Age 10-14 .....              | 10,737  | 9,639   | 1,098    |
| • Age 15-17 .....              | 5,853   | 5,268   | 585      |
| • Age 18-19 .....              | 9,313   | 8,437   | 876      |
| • Age 20-24 .....              | 8,046   | 7,282   | 764      |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                      |                |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count]) .....         | 25,940         |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) ..... | 3,462          |
| • Graduation Rate .....                                              | 83.8           |
| • Number of Non-Promotions .....                                     | 1,020          |
| • Number of Dropouts .....                                           | 275            |
| • Disciplinary Actions                                               |                |
| • Corporal Punishments .....                                         | 151            |
| • In-School Suspensions .....                                        | 4,054          |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions .....                                    | 1,714          |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions .....                             | 0              |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96) .....                           | 76             |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96) .....                 | 80             |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch .....       | 5,766 (22.23%) |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                                    | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received ..... | 1,511 (1,031)           | 1,193 (829)             | 299 (186)                          |
| • Juvenile Detentions .....        | 242 (162)               | 182 (122)               | 58 (38)                            |
| • Transfers to Adult Court .....   | 30 (22)                 | 20 (14)                 | 10 (8)                             |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                              | Total         | White         | Nonwhite    |
|----------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|-------------|
| • Number of Births .....                     | 1,644         | 1,474         | 170         |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population) .....    | 13.0          | 12.8          | 15.0        |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers .....              | 406 (24.7%)   | 328 (22.3%)   | 78 (45.9%)  |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20 .....          | 137 (8.3%)    | 107 (7.3%)    | 30 (17.6%)  |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20 .....          | 269 (16.4%)   | 221 (15.0%)   | 48 (28.2%)  |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20 .....            | 206 (12.5%)   | 171 (11.6%)   | 35 (20.6%)  |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17 .....            | 23.6          | 22.3          | 34.6        |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-19 .....            | 43.3          | 40.4          | 69.4        |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care ..... | 1,392 (89.7%) | 1,262 (90.7%) | 130 (81.8%) |
| • Low Birthweight Births .....               | 104 (6.3%)    | 83 (5.6%)     | 21 (12.4%)  |
| • Number of Infant Deaths .....              | 6             | 4             | 2           |
| • Infant Mortality Rate .....                | 3.6           | 2.7           | 11.8        |

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                         |     |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14 .....                                          | 5   |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19 .....                                  | 3   |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000) .....                 | 3.1 |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected .....                 | 396 |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage ..... | 679 |

#### 1996/97

|                                                                    |     |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment .....          | 906 |
| • No Indication .....                                              | 601 |
| • Some Indication .....                                            | 247 |
| • Verified .....                                                   | 56  |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed ..... | 704 |
| • Abuse .....                                                      | 259 |
| • Neglect .....                                                    | 253 |
| • Threatened Harm .....                                            | 183 |



## Collier County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                          | Total   | White   | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------|---------|---------|----------|
| • Total Population       | 193,036 | 181,147 | 11,889   |
| • Number of Children <18 | 39,662  | 35,479  | 4,183    |
| • Age 0-4                | 12,761  | 11,249  | 1,512    |
| • Age 5-9                | 11,265  | 10,131  | 1,134    |
| • Age 10-14              | 10,318  | 9,242   | 1,076    |
| • Age 15-17              | 5,318   | 4,857   | 461      |
| • Age 18-19              | 8,984   | 8,220   | 764      |
| • Age 20-24              | 9,044   | 8,280   | 764      |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                |                 |
|----------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count])         | 28,177          |
| • Non Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) | 2,837           |
| • Graduation Rate                                              | 77.9            |
| • Number of Non-Promotions                                     | 1,159           |
| • Number of Dropouts                                           | 435             |
| • Disciplinary Actions                                         |                 |
| • Corporal Punishments                                         | 0               |
| • In-School Suspensions                                        | 3,910           |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions                                    | 3,428           |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions                             | 1               |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96)                           | 82              |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96)                 | 77              |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch       | 11,997 (42.58%) |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                              | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received | 2,145 (1,306)           | 1,717 (1,077)           | 414 (218)                          |
| • Juvenile Detentions        | 560 (372)               | 415 (281)               | 140 (88)                           |
| • Transfers to Adult Court   | 20 (17)                 | 11 (11)                 | 9 (6)                              |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                        | Total         | White         | Nonwhite    |
|----------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|-------------|
| • Number of Births                     | 2,495         | 2,175         | 320         |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population)    | 12.6          | 11.7          | 25.4        |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers              | 902 (36.2%)   | 701 (32.2%)   | 201 (62.8%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20          | 259 (10.4%)   | 202 (9.3%)    | 57 (17.8%)  |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20          | 642 (25.7%)   | 498 (22.9%)   | 144 (45.0%) |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20            | 367 (14.7%)   | 302 (13.9%)   | 65 (20.3%)  |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17            | 53.7          | 48.3          | 106.3       |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 18-19            | 76.9          | 70.4          | 141.8       |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care | 1,858 (74.9%) | 1,684 (77.8%) | 174 (54.9%) |
| • Low Birthweight Births               | 155 (6.2%)    | 129 (5.9%)    | 26 (8.1%)   |
| • Number of Infant Deaths              | 13            | 12            | 1           |
| • Infant Mortality Rate                | 5.2           | 5.5           | 3.1         |

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                   |      |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------|------|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14                                          | 11   |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19                                  | 10   |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000)                 | 10.7 |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected                 | 410  |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage | 684  |

#### 1996/97

|                                                              |       |
|--------------------------------------------------------------|-------|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment          | 1,086 |
| • No Indication                                              | 667   |
| • Some Indication                                            | 274   |
| • Verified                                                   | 130   |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed | 1,016 |
| • Abuse                                                      | 278   |
| • Neglect                                                    | 415   |
| • Threatened Harm                                            | 306   |

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## Columbia County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                                | Total  | White  | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------------|--------|--------|----------|
| • Total Population .....       | 52,565 | 42,323 | 10,242   |
| • Number of Children <18 ..... | 14,249 | 10,907 | 3,342    |
| • Age 0-4 .....                | 3,805  | 2,785  | 1,020    |
| • Age 5-9 .....                | 3,866  | 2,971  | 895      |
| • Age 10-14 .....              | 4,239  | 3,345  | 894      |
| • Age 15-17 .....              | 2,339  | 1,806  | 533      |
| • Age 18-19 .....              | 3,853  | 2,994  | 859      |
| • Age 20-24 .....              | 3,478  | 2,555  | 923      |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                      |                |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count]) .....         | 9,263          |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) ..... | 387            |
| • Graduation Rate .....                                              | 55.9           |
| • Number of Non-Promotions .....                                     | 456            |
| • Number of Dropouts .....                                           | 185            |
| • Disciplinary Actions                                               |                |
| • Corporal Punishments .....                                         | 694            |
| • In-School Suspensions .....                                        | 1,413          |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions .....                                    | 918            |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions .....                             | 0              |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96) .....                           | 71             |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96) .....                 | 79             |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch .....       | 4,422 (47.74%) |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                                    | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received ..... | 621 (438)               | 367 (270)               | 253 (167)                          |
| • Juvenile Detentions .....        | 109 (80)                | 64 (45)                 | 45 (35)                            |
| • Transfers to Adult Court .....   | 23 (18)                 | 15 (11)                 | 8 (7)                              |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                              | Total       | White       | Nonwhite    |
|----------------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| • Number of Births .....                     | 670         | 521         | 149         |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population) .....    | 12.8        | 12.3        | 14.7        |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers .....              | 269 (40.2%) | 163 (31.3%) | 106 (71.1%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20 .....          | 97 (14.5%)  | 56 (10.8%)  | 41 (27.5%)  |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20 .....          | 171 (25.6%) | 106 (20.4%) | 65 (43.6%)  |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20 .....            | 130 (19.4%) | 85 (16.3%)  | 45 (30.2%)  |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17 .....            | 43.1        | 42.6        | 44.9        |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-19 .....            | 66.9        | 56.2        | 106.4       |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care ..... | 506 (75.9%) | 413 (79.6%) | 93 (62.8%)  |
| • Low Birthweight Births .....               | 64 (9.6%)   | 45 (8.6%)   | 19 (12.8%)  |
| • Number of Infant Deaths .....              | 6           | 1           | 5           |
| • Infant Mortality Rate .....                | 9.0         | 1.9         | 33.6        |

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                         |      |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|------|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14 .....                                          | 7    |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19 .....                                  | 4    |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000) .....                 | 10.2 |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected .....                 | 156  |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage ..... | 249  |

#### 1996/97

|                                                                    |     |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment .....          | 565 |
| • No Indication .....                                              | 315 |
| • Some Indication .....                                            | 201 |
| • Verified .....                                                   | 49  |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed ..... | 518 |
| • Abuse .....                                                      | 163 |
| • Neglect .....                                                    | 219 |
| • Threatened Harm .....                                            | 124 |

## Dade County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                                | Total     | White     | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------------|-----------|-----------|----------|
| • Total Population .....       | 2,043,316 | 1,547,988 | 495,328  |
| • Number of Children <18 ..... | 520,259   | 346,296   | 173,963  |
| • Age 0-4 .....                | 163,263   | 105,808   | 57,455   |
| • Age 5-9 .....                | 146,920   | 98,657    | 48,263   |
| • Age 10-14 .....              | 136,450   | 91,561    | 44,889   |
| • Age 15-17 .....              | 73,626    | 50,270    | 23,356   |
| • Age 15-19 .....              | 126,493   | 87,299    | 39,194   |
| • Age 20-24 .....              | 134,018   | 96,989    | 37,029   |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                      |                  |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count]) .....         | 341,115          |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) ..... | 68,512           |
| • Graduation Rate .....                                              | 73.8             |
| • Number of Non-Promotions .....                                     | 18,549           |
| • Number of Dropouts .....                                           | 7,942            |
| • Disciplinary Actions                                               |                  |
| • Corporal Punishments .....                                         | 0                |
| • In-School Suspensions .....                                        | 35,031           |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions .....                                    | 26,854           |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions .....                             | 1,327            |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96) .....                           | 66               |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96) .....                 | 67               |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch ....        | 202,065 (59.24%) |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                             | Total          | White          | Nonwhite      |
|---------------------------------------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|
| • Number of Births .....                    | 31,843         | 21,745         | 10,062        |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population) .....   | 15.6           | 14.2           | 20.1          |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers .....             | 12,973 (40.7%) | 6,480 (29.8%)  | 6,481 (64.4%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20 .....         | 3,147 (9.9%)   | 1,389 (6.4%)   | 1,753 (17.4%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20 .....         | 9,824 (30.9%)  | 5,090 (23.4%)  | 4,727 (47.0%) |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20 .....           | 3,846 (12.1%)  | 1,993 (9.2%)   | 1,848 (18.4%) |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17 .....           | 39.8           | 28.4           | 63.1          |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-19 .....           | 59.8           | 45.8           | 89.2          |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care .... | 25,979 (82.0%) | 18,697 (86.3%) | 7,266 (72.8%) |
| • Low Birthweight Births .....              | 2,466 (7.7%)   | 1,324 (6.1%)   | 1,136 (11.3%) |
| • Number of Infant Deaths .....             | 191            | 94             | 97            |
| • Infant Mortality Rate .....               | 6.0            | 4.3            | 9.6           |

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                         |       |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14 .....                                          | 126   |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19 .....                                  | 69    |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000) .....                 | 5.4   |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected .....                 | 5,312 |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage ..... | 8,619 |

#### 1996/97

|                                                                    |       |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment .....          | 9,032 |
| • No Indication .....                                              | 4,985 |
| • Some Indication .....                                            | 3,192 |
| • Verified .....                                                   | 838   |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed ..... | 9,450 |
| • Abuse .....                                                      | 2,854 |
| • Neglect .....                                                    | 3,618 |
| • Threatened Harm .....                                            | 2,567 |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                                    | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received ..... | 20,513 (13,664)         | 9,157 (6,494)           | 11,220 (7,074)                     |
| • Juvenile Detentions .....        | 2,020 (1,571)           | 550 (447)               | 1,462 (1,116)                      |
| • Transfers to Adult Court .....   | 1,292 (1,034)           | 503 (404)               | 787 (628)                          |

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## DeSoto County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                                | Total  | White  | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------------|--------|--------|----------|
| • Total Population .....       | 26,716 | 21,372 | 5,344    |
| • Number of Children <18 ..... | 6,229  | 4,733  | 1,496    |
| • Age 0-4 .....                | 2,046  | 1,560  | 486      |
| • Age 5-9 .....                | 1,674  | 1,271  | 403      |
| • Age 10-14 .....              | 1,530  | 1,203  | 327      |
| • Age 15-17 .....              | 979    | 699    | 280      |
| • Age 18-19 .....              | 1,589  | 1,153  | 436      |
| • Age 20-24 .....              | 1,899  | 1,313  | 586      |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                      |                |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count]) .....         | 4,616          |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) ..... | 51             |
| • Graduation Rate .....                                              | 85.8           |
| • Number of Non-Promotions .....                                     | 176            |
| • Number of Dropouts .....                                           | 49             |
| • Disciplinary Actions .....                                         |                |
| • Corporal Punishments .....                                         | 106            |
| • In-School Suspensions .....                                        | 835            |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions .....                                    | 367            |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions .....                             | 146            |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96) .....                           | 67             |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96) .....                 | 78             |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch .....       | 2,885 (62.50%) |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                                    | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received ..... | 385 (212)               | 189 (132)               | 196 (80)                           |
| • Juvenile Detentions .....        | 61 (39)                 | 37 (26)                 | 24 (13)                            |
| • Transfers to Adult Court .....   | 11 (7)                  | 4 (3)                   | 7 (4)                              |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                              | Total       | White       | Nonwhite    |
|----------------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| • Number of Births .....                     | 371         | 294         | 77          |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population) .....    | 13.6        | 13.5        | 13.8        |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers .....              | 147 (39.6%) | 88 (29.9%)  | 59 (76.6*%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20 .....          | 57 (15.4%)  | 31 (10.5%)  | 26 (33.8*%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20 .....          | 90 (24.3%)  | 57 (19.4%)  | 33 (42.9*%) |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20 .....            | 87 (23.5%)  | 59 (20.1%)  | 28 (36.4*%) |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17 .....            | 64.9        | 55.6        | 95.2        |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 18-19 .....            | 117.2       | 103.4       | 164.6       |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care ..... | 277 (74.7%) | 225 (76.5%) | 52 (67.5*%) |
| • Low Birthweight Births .....               | 29 (7.8%)   | 19 (6.5%)   | 10 (13.0*%) |
| • Number of Infant Deaths .....              | 2           | 2           | 0           |
| • Infant Mortality Rate .....                | 5.4         | 6.8         | 0.0*        |

\* unreliable ratios, denominator <100

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                         |      |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|------|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14 .....                                          | 1    |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19 .....                                  | 3    |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000) .....                 | 18.5 |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected .....                 | 56   |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage ..... | 97   |

#### 1996/97

|                                                                    |     |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment .....          | 319 |
| • No Indication .....                                              | 246 |
| • Some Indication .....                                            | 65  |
| • Verified .....                                                   | 7   |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed ..... | 122 |
| • Abuse .....                                                      | 65  |
| • Neglect .....                                                    | 34  |
| • Threatened Harm .....                                            | 23  |

## Dixie County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                                | Total  | White  | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------------|--------|--------|----------|
| • Total Population .....       | 12,602 | 11,252 | 1,350    |
| • Number of Children <18 ..... | 2,932  | 2,629  | 303      |
| • Age 0-4 .....                | 876    | 768    | 108      |
| • Age 5-9 .....                | 766    | 678    | 88       |
| • Age 10-14 .....              | 824    | 762    | 62       |
| • Age 15-17 .....              | 466    | 421    | 45       |
| • Age 18-19 .....              | 803    | 694    | 109      |
| • Age 20-24 .....              | 859    | 677    | 182      |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                      |                |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count]) .....         | 2,323          |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) ..... | 45             |
| • Graduation Rate .....                                              | 42.6           |
| • Number of Non-Promotions .....                                     | 84             |
| • Number of Dropouts .....                                           | 23             |
| • Disciplinary Actions                                               |                |
| • Corporal Punishments .....                                         | 377            |
| • In-School Suspensions .....                                        | 487            |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions .....                                    | 334            |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions .....                             | 0              |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96) .....                           | 67             |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96) .....                 | 70             |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch .....       | 1,401 (60.31%) |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                                    | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received ..... | 111 (89)                | 92 (72)                 | 19 (17)                            |
| • Juvenile Detentions .....        | 12 (11)                 | 10 (9)                  | 2 (2)                              |
| • Transfers to Adult Court .....   | 2 (2)                   | 1 (1)                   | 1 (1)                              |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                              | Total       | White       | Nonwhite   |
|----------------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|------------|
| • Number of Births .....                     | 150         | 134         | 16         |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population) .....    | 11.7        | 11.7        | 11.6       |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers .....              | 62 (41.3%)  | 51 (38.1%)  | 11 (68.8*) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20 .....          | 25 (16.7%)  | 22 (16.4%)  | 3 (18.8*)  |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20 .....          | 37 (24.7%)  | 29 (21.6%)  | 8 (50.0*)  |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20 .....            | 38 (25.3%)  | 34 (25.4%)  | 4 (25.0*)  |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17 .....            | 34.8        | 28.0        | 125.0*     |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-19 .....            | 98.7        | 95.7        | 133.3*     |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care ..... | 112 (75.2%) | 101 (75.9%) | 11 (68.8*) |
| • Low Birthweight Births .....               | 18 (12.0%)  | 16 (11.9%)  | 2 (12.5*)  |
| • Number of Infant Deaths .....              | 2           | 2           | 0          |
| • Infant Mortality Rate .....                | 13.3        | 14.9        | 0.0*       |

\* unreliable ratios, denominator <100

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                         |      |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|------|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14 .....                                          | 0    |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19 .....                                  | 1    |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000) .....                 | 12.2 |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected .....                 | 25   |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage ..... | 37   |

#### 1996/97

|                                                                    |     |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment .....          | 162 |
| • No Indication .....                                              | 54  |
| • Some Indication .....                                            | 94  |
| • Verified .....                                                   | 14  |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed ..... | 350 |
| • Abuse .....                                                      | 113 |
| • Neglect .....                                                    | 150 |
| • Threatened Harm .....                                            | 84  |



## Duval County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                          | Total   | White   | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------|---------|---------|----------|
| • Total Population       | 728,437 | 522,036 | 206,401  |
| • Number of Children <18 | 195,505 | 124,775 | 70,730   |
| • Age 0-4                | 65,765  | 42,186  | 23,579   |
| • Age 5-9                | 54,976  | 35,300  | 19,676   |
| • Age 10-14              | 49,611  | 31,332  | 18,279   |
| • Age 15-17              | 25,153  | 15,957  | 9,196    |
| • Age 18-19              | 45,038  | 29,314  | 15,724   |
| • Age 20-24              | 55,285  | 38,145  | 17,140   |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                |                 |
|----------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count])         | 126,116         |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) | 24,621          |
| • Graduation Rate                                              | 68.7            |
| • Number of Non-Promotions                                     | 10,428          |
| • Number of Dropouts                                           | 2,303           |
| • Disciplinary Actions                                         |                 |
| • Corporal Punishments                                         | 1,684           |
| • In-School Suspensions                                        | 6,015           |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions                                    | 19,765          |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions                             | 980             |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96)                           | 72              |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96)                 | 79              |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch       | 58,507 (46.39%) |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                              | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received | 9,466 (6,190)           | 3,914 (2,739)           | 5,410 (3,361)                      |
| • Juvenile Detentions        | 2,604 (1,821)           | 942 (699)               | 1,623 (1,093)                      |
| • Transfers to Adult Court   | 197 (164)               | 69 (55)                 | 125 (106)                          |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                        | Total         | White         | Nonwhite      |
|----------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| • Number of Births                     | 11,893        | 7,632         | 4,257         |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population)    | 16.4          | 14.7          | 20.4          |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers              | 4,204 (35.4%) | 1,675 (21.9%) | 2,527 (59.4%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20          | 1,409 (11.8%) | 546 (7.2%)    | 863 (20.3%)   |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20          | 2,794 (23.5%) | 1,128 (14.8%) | 1,664 (39.1%) |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20            | 1,767 (14.9%) | 851 (11.2%)   | 916 (21.5%)   |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17            | 50.3          | 33.4          | 79.3          |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 18-19            | 76.0          | 57.7          | 109.3         |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care | 9,274 (83.1%) | 6,296 (87.5%) | 2,977 (75.0%) |
| • Low Birthweight Births               | 966 (8.1%)    | 449 (5.9%)    | 517 (12.1%)   |
| • Number of Infant Deaths              | 95            | 49            | 46            |
| • Infant Mortality Rate                | 8.0           | 6.4           | 10.8          |

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                   |       |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14                                          | 54    |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19                                  | 21    |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000)                 | 4.6   |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected                 | 2,087 |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage | 3,326 |

#### 1996/97

|                                                              |       |
|--------------------------------------------------------------|-------|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment          | 6,167 |
| • No Indication                                              | 3,682 |
| • Some Indication                                            | 1,846 |
| • Verified                                                   | 631   |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed | 5,612 |
| • Abuse                                                      | 1,860 |
| • Neglect                                                    | 2,342 |
| • Threatened Harm                                            | 1,312 |



## Escambia County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                                | Total   | White   | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------------|---------|---------|----------|
| • Total Population .....       | 286,301 | 218,321 | 67,980   |
| • Number of Children <18 ..... | 72,419  | 47,915  | 24,504   |
| • Age 0-4 .....                | 22,780  | 14,822  | 7,958    |
| • Age 5-9 .....                | 19,828  | 13,052  | 6,776    |
| • Age 10-14 .....              | 19,154  | 12,855  | 6,299    |
| • Age 15-17 .....              | 10,657  | 7,186   | 3,471    |
| • Age 18-19 .....              | 20,379  | 14,504  | 5,875    |
| • Age 20-24 .....              | 22,340  | 16,760  | 5,580    |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                      |                 |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count]) .....         | 45,775          |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) ..... | 7,180           |
| • Graduation Rate .....                                              | 68.3            |
| • Number of Non-Promotions .....                                     | 1,436           |
| • Number of Dropouts .....                                           | 217             |
| • Disciplinary Actions                                               |                 |
| • Corporal Punishments .....                                         | 316             |
| • In-School Suspensions .....                                        | 5,950           |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions .....                                    | 5,313           |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions .....                             | 51              |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96) .....                           | 71              |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96) .....                 | 79              |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch .....       | 25,135 (54.91%) |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                                    | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received ..... | 3,056 (2,051)           | 1,385 (969)             | 1,606 (1,035)                      |
| • Juvenile Detentions .....        | 873 (674)               | 351 (284)               | 505 (376)                          |
| • Transfers to Adult Court .....   | 293 (214)               | 117 (86)                | 170 (124)                          |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                              | Total         | White         | Nonwhite    |
|----------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|-------------|
| • Number of Births .....                     | 3,850         | 2,540         | 1,310       |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population) .....    | 13.4          | 11.6          | 19.1        |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers .....              | 1,548 (40.2%) | 649 (25.6%)   | 899 (68.6%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20 .....          | 505 (13.1%)   | 191 (7.5%)    | 314 (24.0%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20 .....          | 1,043 (27.1%) | 458 (18.0%)   | 585 (44.7%) |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20 .....            | 626 (16.3%)   | 296 (11.7%)   | 330 (25.2%) |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17 .....            | 45.3          | 28.2          | 78.8        |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 18-19 .....            | 62.1          | 42.4          | 108.5       |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care ..... | 3,238 (85.3%) | 2,258 (89.5%) | 980 (76.8%) |
| • Low Birthweight Births .....               | 352 (9.1%)    | 196 (7.7%)    | 156 (11.9%) |
| • Number of Infant Deaths .....              | 34            | 18            | 16          |
| • Infant Mortality Rate .....                | 8.8           | 7.1           | 12.2        |

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                         |       |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14 .....                                          | 21    |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19 .....                                  | 7     |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000) .....                 | 3.4   |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected .....                 | 764   |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage ..... | 1,269 |

#### 1996/97

|                                                                    |       |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment .....          | 2,656 |
| • No Indication .....                                              | 1,550 |
| • Some Indication .....                                            | 825   |
| • Verified .....                                                   | 230   |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed ..... | 2,697 |
| • Abuse .....                                                      | 646   |
| • Neglect .....                                                    | 1,285 |
| • Threatened Harm .....                                            | 665   |

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## Flagler County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                                | Total  | White  | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------------|--------|--------|----------|
| • Total Population .....       | 39,052 | 34,884 | 4,168    |
| • Number of Children <18 ..... | 6,940  | 5,888  | 1,052    |
| • Age 0-4 .....                | 1,643  | 1,292  | 351      |
| • Age 5-9 .....                | 2,061  | 1,813  | 248      |
| • Age 10-14 .....              | 2,090  | 1,815  | 275      |
| • Age 15-17 .....              | 1,146  | 968    | 178      |
| • Age 18-19 .....              | 1,865  | 1,577  | 288      |
| • Age 20-24 .....              | 1,712  | 1,437  | 275      |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                      |                |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count]) .....         | 5,677          |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) ..... | 280            |
| • Graduation Rate .....                                              | 88.7           |
| • Number of Non-Promotions .....                                     | 97             |
| • Number of Dropouts .....                                           | 31             |
| • Disciplinary Actions .....                                         |                |
| • Corporal Punishments .....                                         | 18             |
| • In-School Suspensions .....                                        | 1,126          |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions .....                                    | 498            |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions .....                             | 0              |
| • Percent Passing HSC'T Math (Oct/96) .....                          | 78             |
| • Percent Passing HSC'T Communications (Oct/96) .....                | 83             |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch .....       | 2,158 (38.01%) |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                                    | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received ..... | 509 (322)               | 391 (244)               | 116 (76)                           |
| • Juvenile Detentions .....        | 24 (20)                 | 19 (15)                 | 5 (5)                              |
| • Transfers to Adult Court .....   | 19 (11)                 | 13 (8)                  | 6 (3)                              |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                              | Total       | White       | Nonwhite   |
|----------------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|------------|
| • Number of Births .....                     | 309         | 258         | 50         |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population) .....    | 7.7         | 7.2         | 11.4       |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers .....              | 102 (33.0%) | 67 (26.0%)  | 35 (70.0*) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20 .....          | 40 (12.9%)  | 22 (8.5%)   | 18 (36.0*) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20 .....          | 62 (20.1%)  | 45 (17.4%)  | 17 (34.0*) |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20 .....            | 46 (14.9%)  | 28 (10.9%)  | 18 (36.0*) |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17 .....            | 32.3        | 28.7        | 50.0       |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-19 .....            | 48.2        | 35.0        | 116.9      |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care ..... | 267 (86.4%) | 237 (91.9%) | 30 (60.0*) |
| • Low Birthweight Births .....               | 25 (8.1%)   | 19 (7.4%)   | 6 (12.0*)  |
| • Number of Infant Deaths .....              | 2           | 1           | 1          |
| • Infant Mortality Rate .....                | 6.5         | 3.9         | 20.0*      |

\* unreliable ratios, denominator <100

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                         |      |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|------|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14 .....                                          | 2    |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19 .....                                  | 2    |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000) .....                 | 10.3 |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected .....                 | 74   |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage ..... | 117  |

#### 1996/97

|                                                                    |     |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment .....          | 196 |
| • No Indication .....                                              | 103 |
| • Some Indication .....                                            | 73  |
| • Verified .....                                                   | 19  |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed ..... | 224 |
| • Abuse .....                                                      | 6   |
| • Neglect .....                                                    | 99  |
| • Threatened Harm .....                                            | 55  |

## Franklin County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                                | Total  | White | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------------|--------|-------|----------|
| • Total Population .....       | 10,378 | 8,612 | 1,766    |
| • Number of Children <18 ..... | 2,148  | 1,624 | 524      |
| • Age 0-4 .....                | 627    | 474   | 153      |
| • Age 5-9 .....                | 564    | 407   | 157      |
| • Age 10-14 .....              | 592    | 458   | 134      |
| • Age 15-17 .....              | 365    | 285   | 80       |
| • Age 18-19 .....              | 583    | 447   | 136      |
| • Age 20-24 .....              | 611    | 455   | 156      |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                      |              |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count]) .....         | 1,589        |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) ..... | 235          |
| • Graduation Rate .....                                              | 74.1         |
| • Number of Non-Promotions .....                                     | 63           |
| • Number of Dropouts .....                                           | 2            |
| • Disciplinary Actions                                               |              |
| • Corporal Punishments .....                                         | 132          |
| • In-School Suspensions .....                                        | 113          |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions .....                                    | 142          |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions .....                             | 30           |
| • Percent Passing HSC/T Math (Oct/96) .....                          | 58           |
| • Percent Passing HSC/T Communications (Oct/96) .....                | 72           |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch .....       | 865 (54.44%) |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                                    | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received ..... | 175 (112)               | 127 (88)                | 47 (23)                            |
| • Juvenile Detentions .....        | 30 (19)                 | 11 (9)                  | 19 (10)                            |
| • Transfers to Adult Court .....   | 8 (5)                   | 4 (3)                   | 4 (2)                              |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                              | Total       | White       | Nonwhite    |
|----------------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| • Number of Births .....                     | 98          | 79          | 19          |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population) .....    | 9.4         | 9.2         | 10.4        |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers .....              | 30 (30.6*%) | 15 (19.0*%) | 15 (78.9*%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20 .....          | 11 (11.2*%) | 5 (6.3*%)   | 6 (31.6*%)  |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20 .....          | 19 (19.4*%) | 10 (12.7*%) | 9 (47.4*%)  |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20 .....            | 24 (24.5*%) | 18 (22.8*%) | 6 (31.6*%)  |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17 .....            | 52.6        | 51.9        | 55.6*       |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 18-19 .....            | 84.5        | 82.6        | 90.9*       |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care ..... | 79 (80.6*%) | 66 (83.5*%) | 13 (68.4*%) |
| • Low Birthweight Births .....               | 13 (13.3*%) | 10 (12.7*%) | 3 (15.8*%)  |
| • Number of Infant Deaths .....              | 3           | 3           | 0           |
| • Infant Mortality Rate .....                | 30.6*       | 38.0*       | 0.0*        |

\* unreliable ratios, denominator <100

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                         |     |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14 .....                                          | 2   |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19 .....                                  | 0   |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000) .....                 | 0.0 |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected .....                 | 27  |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage ..... | 40  |

#### 1996/97

|                                                                    |     |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment .....          | 108 |
| • No Indication .....                                              | 62  |
| • Some Indication .....                                            | 33  |
| • Verified .....                                                   | 11  |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed ..... | 118 |
| • Abuse .....                                                      | 42  |
| • Neglect .....                                                    | 57  |
| • Threatened Harm .....                                            | 17  |

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## Gadsden County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                                | Total  | White  | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------------|--------|--------|----------|
| • Total Population .....       | 46,322 | 19,541 | 26,781   |
| • Number of Children <18 ..... | 13,291 | 4,216  | 9,075    |
| • Age 0-4 .....                | 4,273  | 1,334  | 2,939    |
| • Age 5-9 .....                | 3,494  | 1,261  | 2,233    |
| • Age 10-14 .....              | 3,510  | 1,077  | 2,433    |
| • Age 15-17 .....              | 2,014  | 544    | 1,470    |
| • Age 18-19 .....              | 3,286  | 922    | 2,364    |
| • Age 20-24 .....              | 3,594  | 1,194  | 2,400    |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                      |                |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count]) .....         | 8,551          |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) ..... | 773            |
| • Graduation Rate .....                                              | 51.4           |
| • Number of Non-Promotions .....                                     | 624            |
| • Number of Dropouts .....                                           | 231            |
| • Disciplinary Actions                                               |                |
| • Corporal Punishments .....                                         | 700            |
| • In-School Suspensions .....                                        | 1,069          |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions .....                                    | 1,131          |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions .....                             | 0              |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96) .....                           | 52             |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96) .....                 | 62             |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch .....       | 7,127 (83.35%) |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                                    | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received ..... | 620 (438)               | 73 (53)                 | 545 (383)                          |
| • Juvenile Detentions .....        | 156 (119)               | 3 (2)                   | 152 (116)                          |
| • Transfers to Adult Court .....   | 19 (17)                 | 0 (0)                   | 19 (17)                            |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                              | Total       | White       | Nonwhite    |
|----------------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| • Number of Births .....                     | 655         | 246         | 408         |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population) .....    | 14.3        | 12.7        | 15.5        |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers .....              | 385 (58.8%) | 73 (29.7%)  | 312 (76.5%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20 .....          | 144 (22.0%) | 24 (9.8%)   | 120 (29.4%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20 .....          | 241 (36.8%) | 49 (19.9%)  | 192 (47.1%) |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20 .....            | 159 (24.3%) | 36 (14.6%)  | 123 (30.1%) |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17 .....            | 61.4        | 53.2        | 64.5        |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-19 .....            | 94.7        | 78.8        | 101.0       |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care ..... | 531 (81.4%) | 216 (88.5%) | 314 (77.1%) |
| • Low Birthweight Births .....               | 74 (11.3%)  | 21 (8.5%)   | 53 (13.0%)  |
| • Number of Infant Deaths .....              | 3           | 0           | 3           |
| • Infant Mortality Rate .....                | 4.6         | 0.0         | 7.4         |

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                         |     |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14 .....                                          | 6   |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19 .....                                  | 2   |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000) .....                 | 6.2 |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected .....                 | 86  |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage ..... | 140 |

#### 1996/97

|                                                                    |     |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment .....          | 364 |
| • No Indication .....                                              | 131 |
| • Some Indication .....                                            | 170 |
| • Verified .....                                                   | 61  |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed ..... | 651 |
| • Abuse .....                                                      | 167 |
| • Neglect .....                                                    | 262 |
| • Threatened Harm .....                                            | 215 |

## Gilchrist County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                                | Total  | White  | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------------|--------|--------|----------|
| • Total Population .....       | 12,150 | 10,875 | 1,275    |
| • Number of Children <18 ..... | 2,947  | 2,600  | 347      |
| • Age 0-4 .....                | 822    | 727    | 95       |
| • Age 5-9 .....                | 749    | 675    | 74       |
| • Age 10-14 .....              | 811    | 735    | 76       |
| • Age 15-17 .....              | 565    | 463    | 102      |
| • Age 15-19 .....              | 1,110  | 853    | 257      |
| • Age 20-24 .....              | 1,371  | 988    | 383      |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                      |                |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre K to 12 (Fall Count)) .....         | 2,651          |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre K to 12 (February Count)) ..... | 314            |
| • Graduation Rate .....                                              | 87.2           |
| • Number of Non-Promotions .....                                     | 155            |
| • Number of Dropouts .....                                           | 34             |
| • Disciplinary Actions                                               |                |
| • Corporal Punishments .....                                         | 309            |
| • In-School Suspensions .....                                        | 269            |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions .....                                    | 305            |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions .....                             | 0              |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96) .....                           | 78             |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96) .....                 | 81             |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch .....       | 1,332 (50.25%) |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                                    | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received ..... | 138 (106)               | 125 (94)                | 13 (12)                            |
| • Juvenile Detentions .....        | 18 (15)                 | 16 (13)                 | 2 (2)                              |
| • Transfers to Adult Court .....   | 9 (5)                   | 8 (4)                   | 1 (1)                              |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                              | Total       | White       | Nonwhite   |
|----------------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|------------|
| • Number of Births .....                     | 137         | 127         | 10         |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population) .....    | 11.0        | 11.4        | 7.5        |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers .....              | 47 (34.3%)  | 39 (30.7%)  | 8 (80.0*%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20 .....          | 19 (13.9%)  | 17 (13.4%)  | 2 (20.0*%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20 .....          | 28 (20.4%)  | 22 (17.3%)  | 6 (60.0*%) |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20 .....            | 27 (19.9%)  | 25 (19.7%)  | 2 (22.2*%) |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17 .....            | 39.3        | 40.2        | 33.3*      |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-19 .....            | 69.9        | 71.8        | 52.6*      |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care ..... | 114 (83.8%) | 110 (86.6%) | 4 (44.4*%) |
| • Low Birthweight Births .....               | 15 (10.9%)  | 13 (10.2%)  | 2 (20.0*%) |
| • Number of Infant Deaths .....              | 3           | 3           | 0          |
| • Infant Mortality Rate .....                | 21.9        | 23.6        | 0.0*       |

\* unreliable ratios, denominator <100

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                         |      |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|------|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14 .....                                          | 0    |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19 .....                                  | 2    |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000) .....                 | 17.5 |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected .....                 | 17   |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage ..... | 29   |

#### 1996/97

|                                                                    |     |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment .....          | 159 |
| • No Indication .....                                              | 65  |
| • Some Indication .....                                            | 79  |
| • Verified .....                                                   | 14  |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed ..... | 264 |
| • Abuse .....                                                      | 85  |
| • Neglect .....                                                    | 87  |
| • Threatened Harm .....                                            | 89  |



## Glades County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                                | Total | White | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------------|-------|-------|----------|
| • Total Population .....       | 9,413 | 7,490 | 1,923    |
| • Number of Children <18 ..... | 2,120 | 1,447 | 673      |
| • Age 0-4 .....                | 528   | 332   | 196      |
| • Age 5-9 .....                | 597   | 432   | 165      |
| • Age 10-14 .....              | 599   | 415   | 184      |
| • Age 15-17 .....              | 396   | 268   | 128      |
| • Age 18-19 .....              | 609   | 415   | 194      |
| • Age 20-24 .....              | 588   | 388   | 200      |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                      |              |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count]) .....         | 1,149        |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) ..... | 20           |
| • Graduation Rate .....                                              | 58.8         |
| • Number of Non-Promotions .....                                     | 141          |
| • Number of Dropouts .....                                           | 18           |
| • Disciplinary Actions .....                                         |              |
| • Corporal Punishments .....                                         | 13           |
| • In-School Suspensions .....                                        | 0            |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions .....                                    | 35           |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions .....                             | 0            |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96) .....                           | 57           |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96) .....                 | 72           |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch .....       | 662 (57.62%) |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                                    | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received ..... | 53 (39)                 | 29 (22)                 | 16 (13)                            |
| • Juvenile Detentions .....        | 6 (4)                   | 3 (2)                   | 3 (0)                              |
| • Transfers to Adult Court .....   | 0 (0)                   | 0 (0)                   | 0 (0)                              |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                              | Total       | White       | Nonwhite    |
|----------------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| • Number of Births .....                     | 78          | 58          | 20          |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population) .....    | 8.2         | 7.8         | 9.9         |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers .....              | 30 (38.5*%) | 17 (29.3*%) | 13 (65.0*%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20 .....          | 12 (15.4*%) | 5 (8.6*%)   | 7 (35.0*%)  |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20 .....          | 18 (23.1*%) | 12 (20.7*%) | 6 (30.0*%)  |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20 .....            | 16 (20.5*%) | 9 (15.5*%)  | 7 (35.0*%)  |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17 .....            | 32.4        | 31.7        | 33.9*       |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-19 .....            | 55.4        | 46.9        | 72.2*       |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care ..... | 58 (75.3*%) | 45 (77.6*%) | 13 (68.4*%) |
| • Low Birthweight Births .....               | 4 (5.1*%)   | 2 (3.4*%)   | 2 (10.0*%)  |
| • Number of Infant Deaths .....              | 1           | 0           | 1           |
| • Infant Mortality Rate .....                | 12.8*       | 0.0*        | 50.0*       |

\* unreliable ratios, denominator <100

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                         |     |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14 .....                                          | 0   |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19 .....                                  | 0   |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000) .....                 | 0.0 |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected .....                 | 6   |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage ..... | 9   |

#### 1996/97

|                                                                    |    |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|----|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment .....          | 61 |
| • No Indication .....                                              | 43 |
| • Some Indication .....                                            | 14 |
| • Verified .....                                                   | 2  |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed ..... | 25 |
| • Abuse .....                                                      | 16 |
| • Neglect .....                                                    | 6  |
| • Threatened Harm .....                                            | 2  |

## Gulf County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                                | Total  | White  | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------------|--------|--------|----------|
| • Total Population .....       | 13,545 | 10,345 | 3,200    |
| • Number of Children <18 ..... | 3,014  | 2,280  | 734      |
| • Age 0-4 .....                | 848    | 626    | 222      |
| • Age 5-9 .....                | 801    | 600    | 201      |
| • Age 10-14 .....              | 797    | 615    | 182      |
| • Age 15-17 .....              | 568    | 439    | 129      |
| • Age 18-19 .....              | 890    | 686    | 204      |
| • Age 20-24 .....              | 1,011  | 683    | 328      |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                      |                |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count]) .....         | 2,345          |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) ..... | 175            |
| • Graduation Rate .....                                              | 85.2           |
| • Number of Non-Promotions .....                                     | 80             |
| • Number of Dropouts .....                                           | 11             |
| • Disciplinary Actions                                               |                |
| • Corporal Punishments .....                                         | 157            |
| • In-School Suspensions .....                                        | 444            |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions .....                                    | 219            |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions .....                             | 76             |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96) .....                           | 82             |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96) .....                 | 85             |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch .....       | 1,116 (47.59%) |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                                    | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received ..... | 123 (80)                | 96 (61)                 | 27 (19)                            |
| • Juvenile Detentions .....        | 25 (24)                 | 19 (18)                 | 6 (6)                              |
| • Transfers to Adult Court .....   | 4 (2)                   | 4 (2)                   | 0 (0)                              |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                              | Total       | White       | Nonwhite    |
|----------------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| • Number of Births .....                     | 164         | 130         | 33          |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population) .....    | 11.9        | 12.5        | 9.8         |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers .....              | 65 (39.6%)  | 38 (29.2%)  | 27 (81.8*%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20 .....          | 24 (14.6%)  | 13 (10.0%)  | 11 (33.3*%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20 .....          | 41 (25.0%)  | 25 (19.2%)  | 16 (48.5*%) |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20 .....            | 42 (25.6%)  | 31 (23.8%)  | 11 (33.3*%) |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17 .....            | 59.7        | 48.5        | 96.8*       |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-19 .....            | 96.9        | 90.6        | 118.3*      |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care ..... | 122 (74.4%) | 104 (80.0%) | 17 (51.5*%) |
| • Low Birthweight Births .....               | 12 (7.3%)   | 8 (6.2%)    | 3 (9.1*%)   |
| • Number of Infant Deaths .....              | 1           | 1           | 0           |
| • Infant Mortality Rate .....                | 6.1         | 7.7         | 0.0*        |

\* unreliable ratios, denominator <100

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                         |      |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|------|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14 .....                                          | 1    |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19 .....                                  | 1    |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000) .....                 | 11.4 |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected .....                 | 4    |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage ..... | 4    |

#### 1996/97

|                                                                    |     |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment .....          | 106 |
| • No Indication .....                                              | 53  |
| • Some Indication .....                                            | 43  |
| • Verified .....                                                   | 10  |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed ..... | 144 |
| • Abuse .....                                                      | 34  |
| • Neglect .....                                                    | 51  |
| • Threatened Harm .....                                            | 53  |

## Hamilton County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                                | Total  | White | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------------|--------|-------|----------|
| • Total Population .....       | 13,431 | 8,198 | 5,233    |
| • Number of Children <18 ..... | 3,415  | 1,794 | 1,621    |
| • Age 0-4 .....                | 940    | 452   | 488      |
| • Age 5-9 .....                | 847    | 428   | 419      |
| • Age 10-14 .....              | 933    | 526   | 407      |
| • Age 15-17 .....              | 695    | 388   | 307      |
| • Age 18-19 .....              | 1,126  | 614   | 512      |
| • Age 20-24 .....              | 1,229  | 657   | 572      |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                      |                |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count]) .....         | 2,338          |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) ..... | 12             |
| • Graduation Rate .....                                              | 64.1           |
| • Number of Non-Promotions .....                                     | 228            |
| • Number of Dropouts .....                                           | 38             |
| • Disciplinary Actions .....                                         |                |
| • Corporal Punishments .....                                         | 40             |
| • In-School Suspensions .....                                        | 402            |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions .....                                    | 373            |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions .....                             | 0              |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96) .....                           | 56             |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96) .....                 | 70             |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch .....       | 1,450 (62.02%) |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                                    | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received ..... | 162 (90)                | 52 (30)                 | 110 (60)                           |
| • Juvenile Detentions .....        | 32 (19)                 | 10 (4)                  | 22 (15)                            |
| • Transfers to Adult Court .....   | 22 (15)                 | 5 (4)                   | 17 (11)                            |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                              | Total       | White       | Nonwhite    |
|----------------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| • Number of Births .....                     | 149         | 91          | 58          |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population) .....    | 11.0        | 11.1        | 10.9        |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers .....              | 64 (43.0%)  | 24 (26.4*%) | 40 (69.0*%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20 .....          | 27 (18.1%)  | 13 (14.3*%) | 14 (24.1*%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20 .....          | 37 (24.8%)  | 11 (12.1*%) | 26 (44.8*%) |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20 .....            | 41 (27.5%)  | 27 (29.7*%) | 14 (24.1*%) |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17 .....            | 30.8        | 21.1        | 44.4        |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-19 .....            | 78.9        | 90.6        | 62.8        |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care ..... | 121 (82.9%) | 78 (86.7*%) | 43 (76.8*%) |
| • Low Birthweight Births .....               | 15 (10.1%)  | 5 (5.5*%)   | 10 (17.2*%) |
| • Number of Infant Deaths .....              | 0           | 0           | 0           |
| • Infant Mortality Rate .....                | 0.0         | 0.0*        | 0.0*        |

\*unreliable ratios, denominator <100

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                         |     |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14 .....                                          | 1   |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19 .....                                  | 1   |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000) .....                 | 9.1 |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected .....                 | 34  |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage ..... | 57  |

#### 1996/97

|                                                                    |    |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|----|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment .....          | 80 |
| • No Indication .....                                              | 46 |
| • Some Indication .....                                            | 24 |
| • Verified .....                                                   | 10 |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed ..... | 87 |
| • Abuse .....                                                      | 21 |
| • Neglect .....                                                    | 49 |
| • Threatened Harm .....                                            | 16 |

## Hardee County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                                | Total  | White  | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------------|--------|--------|----------|
| • Total Population .....       | 22,519 | 19,889 | 2,630    |
| • Number of Children <18 ..... | 6,178  | 5,512  | 666      |
| • Age 0-4 .....                | 1,955  | 1,715  | 240      |
| • Age 5-9 .....                | 1,644  | 1,494  | 150      |
| • Age 10-14 .....              | 1,606  | 1,455  | 151      |
| • Age 15-17 .....              | 973    | 848    | 125      |
| • Age 15-19 .....              | 1,611  | 1,424  | 187      |
| • Age 20-24 .....              | 1,722  | 1,407  | 315      |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                      |                |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count]) .....         | 5,377          |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) ..... | 35             |
| • Graduation Rate .....                                              | 73.6           |
| • Number of Non-Promotions .....                                     | 390            |
| • Number of Dropouts .....                                           | 64             |
| • Disciplinary Actions .....                                         |                |
| • Corporal Punishments .....                                         | 273            |
| • In-School Suspensions .....                                        | 1,212          |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions .....                                    | 612            |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions .....                             | 1              |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96) .....                           | 71             |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96) .....                 | 65             |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch .....       | 3,058 (56.87%) |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                                    | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received ..... | 431 (258)               | 327 (210)               | 100 (45)                           |
| • Juvenile Detentions .....        | 57 (46)                 | 36 (31)                 | 21 (15)                            |
| • Transfers to Adult Court .....   | 15 (10)                 | 6 (5)                   | 9 (5)                              |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                              | Total       | White       | Nonwhite   |
|----------------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|------------|
| • Number of Births .....                     | 462         | 429         | 33         |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population) .....    | 20.6        | 21.7        | 12.2       |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers .....              | 148 (32.0%) | 126 (29.4%) | 22 (66.7*) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20 .....          | 62 (13.4%)  | 49 (11.4%)  | 13 (39.4*) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20 .....          | 86 (18.6%)  | 77 (17.9%)  | 9 (27.3*)  |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20 .....            | 105 (22.7%) | 91 (21.2%)  | 14 (42.4*) |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17 .....            | 100.4       | 98.0        | 120.0*     |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-19 .....            | 140.0       | 134.5       | 189.2*     |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care ..... | 281 (61.0%) | 258 (60.3%) | 23 (69.7*) |
| • Low Birthweight Births .....               | 27 (5.8%)   | 26 (6.1%)   | 1 (3.0*)   |
| • Number of Infant Deaths .....              | 3           | 2           | 1          |
| • Infant Mortality Rate .....                | 6.5         | 4.7         | 30.3*      |

\* unreliable ratios, denominator <100

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                         |     |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14 .....                                          | 4   |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19 .....                                  | 0   |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000) .....                 | 0.0 |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected .....                 | 44  |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage ..... | 76  |

#### 1996/97

|                                                                    |     |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment .....          | 272 |
| • No Indication .....                                              | 173 |
| • Some Indication .....                                            | 49  |
| • Verified .....                                                   | 50  |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed ..... | 265 |
| • Abuse .....                                                      | 72  |
| • Neglect .....                                                    | 114 |
| • Threatened Harm .....                                            | 77  |

## Hendry County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                          | Total  | White  | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------|--------|--------|----------|
| • Total Population       | 30,157 | 23,621 | 6,536    |
| • Number of Children <18 | 9,797  | 7,316  | 2,481    |
| • Age 0-4                | 3,181  | 2,282  | 899      |
| • Age 5-9                | 2,708  | 2,101  | 607      |
| • Age 10-14              | 2,508  | 1,950  | 558      |
| • Age 15-17              | 1,400  | 983    | 417      |
| • Age 18-19              | 2,270  | 1,610  | 660      |
| • Age 20-24              | 2,352  | 1,680  | 672      |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                |               |
|----------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count])         | 7,257         |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) | 381           |
| • Graduation Rate                                              | 75.4          |
| • Number of Non-Promotions                                     | **            |
| • Number of Dropouts                                           | 135           |
| • Disciplinary Actions                                         |               |
| • Corporal Punishments                                         | 873           |
| • In-School Suspensions                                        | 1,058         |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions                                    | 948           |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions                             | 66            |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96)                           | 65            |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96)                 | 74            |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch       | 3,984 (54.9%) |

\*\* no data submitted for this element

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                              | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received | 577 (355)               | 395 (246)               | 161 (96)                           |
| • Juvenile Detentions        | 100 (70)                | 62 (40)                 | 35 (27)                            |
| • Transfers to Adult Court   | 11 (11)                 | 8 (8)                   | 3 (3)                              |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                        | Total       | White       | Nonwhite   |
|----------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|------------|
| • Number of Births                     | 581         | 473         | 108        |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population)    | 19.1        | 19.9        | 16.1       |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers              | 273 (47.0%) | 186 (39.3%) | 87 (80.6%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20          | 109 (18.8%) | 75 (15.9%)  | 34 (31.5%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20          | 164 (28.2%) | 111 (23.5%) | 53 (49.1%) |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20            | 136 (23.4%) | 101 (21.4%) | 35 (32.4%) |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17            | 82.1        | 84.6        | 75.7       |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 18-19            | 123.7       | 127.9       | 113.0      |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care | 374 (67.3%) | 305 (67.2%) | 69 (67.6%) |
| • Low Birthweight Births               | 59 (10.2%)  | 37 (7.8%)   | 22 (20.4%) |
| • Number of Infant Deaths              | 3           | 1           | 2          |
| • Infant Mortality Rate                | 5.2         | 2.1         | 18.5       |

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                   |     |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14                                          | 2   |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19                                  | 2   |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000)                 | 8.7 |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected                 | 68  |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage | 121 |
| 1996/97                                                           |     |
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment               | 318 |
| • No Indication                                                   | 231 |
| • Some Indication                                                 | 64  |
| • Verified                                                        | 19  |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed      | 172 |
| • Abuse                                                           | 59  |
| • Neglect                                                         | 94  |
| • Threatened Harm                                                 | 18  |



## Hernando County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                                | Total   | White   | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------------|---------|---------|----------|
| • Total Population .....       | 119,931 | 113,978 | 5,953    |
| • Number of Children <18 ..... | 21,597  | 19,661  | 1,936    |
| • Age 0-4 .....                | 5,025   | 4,481   | 544      |
| • Age 5-9 .....                | 6,210   | 5,695   | 515      |
| • Age 10-14 .....              | 6,910   | 6,337   | 573      |
| • Age 15-17 .....              | 3,452   | 3,148   | 304      |
| • Age 18-19 .....              | 5,605   | 5,121   | 484      |
| • Age 20-24 .....              | 4,852   | 4,437   | 415      |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                      |                |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count]) .....         | 15,860         |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) ..... | 1,764          |
| • Graduation Rate .....                                              | 84.6           |
| • Number of Non-Promotions .....                                     | 702            |
| • Number of Dropouts .....                                           | 201            |
| • Disciplinary Actions                                               |                |
| • Corporal Punishments .....                                         | 0              |
| • In-School Suspensions .....                                        | 2,574          |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions .....                                    | 1,588          |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions .....                             | 0              |
| • Percent Passing HSC T Math (Oct/96) .....                          | 78             |
| • Percent Passing HSC T Communications (Oct/96) .....                | 85             |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch .....       | 7,282 (45.91%) |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                                    | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received ..... | 933 (568)               | 777 (479)               | 145 (85)                           |
| • Juvenile Detentions .....        | 245 (165)               | 191 (130)               | 54 (35)                            |
| • Transfers to Adult Court .....   | 46 (33)                 | 40 (27)                 | 6 (6)                              |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                              | Total       | White       | Nonwhite    |
|----------------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| • Number of Births .....                     | 1,014       | 935         | 79          |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population) .....    | 8.2         | 8.0         | 12.7        |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers .....              | 363 (35.8%) | 310 (33.2%) | 53 (67.1*%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20 .....          | 123 (12.1%) | 98 (10.5%)  | 25 (31.6*%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20 .....          | 240 (23.7%) | 212 (22.7%) | 28 (35.4*%) |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20 .....            | 176 (17.4%) | 150 (16.0%) | 26 (32.9*%) |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17 .....            | 34.0        | 30.7        | 65.9        |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-19 .....            | 59.7        | 55.9        | 97.7        |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care ..... | 884 (87.3%) | 818 (87.6%) | 66 (83.5*%) |
| • Low Birthweight Births .....               | 77 (7.6%)   | 68 (7.3%)   | 9 (11.4*%)  |
| • Number of Infant Deaths .....              | 5           | 4           | 1           |
| • Infant Mortality Rate .....                | 4.9         | 4.3         | 12.7*       |

\* unreliable ratios, denominator <100

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                         |      |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|------|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14 .....                                          | 4    |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19 .....                                  | 8    |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000) .....                 | 13.5 |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected .....                 | 211  |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage ..... | 362  |

#### 1996/97

|                                                                    |       |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment .....          | 788   |
| • No Indication .....                                              | 342   |
| • Some Indication .....                                            | 292   |
| • Verified .....                                                   | 152   |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed ..... | 1,366 |
| • Abuse .....                                                      | 349   |
| • Neglect .....                                                    | 552   |
| • Threatened Harm .....                                            | 443   |

## Highlands County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                                | Total  | White  | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------------|--------|--------|----------|
| • Total Population .....       | 77,996 | 68,917 | 9,079    |
| • Number of Children <18 ..... | 14,391 | 10,852 | 3,539    |
| • Age 0-4 .....                | 4,460  | 3,241  | 1,219    |
| • Age 5-9 .....                | 3,964  | 3,041  | 923      |
| • Age 10-14 .....              | 3,721  | 2,869  | 852      |
| • Age 15-17 .....              | 2,246  | 1,701  | 545      |
| • Age 18-19 .....              | 3,588  | 2,754  | 834      |
| • Age 20-24 .....              | 3,174  | 2,417  | 757      |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                      |                |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count]) .....         | 11,030         |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) ..... | 611            |
| • Graduation Rate .....                                              | 65.0           |
| • Number of Non-Promotions .....                                     | 626            |
| • Number of Dropouts .....                                           | 166            |
| • Disciplinary Actions .....                                         |                |
| • Corporal Punishments .....                                         | 84             |
| • In-School Suspensions .....                                        | 2,716          |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions .....                                    | 1,293          |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions .....                             | 38             |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96) .....                           | 73             |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96) .....                 | 77             |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch .....       | 5,739 (52.03%) |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                                    | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received ..... | 913 (577)               | 646 (414)               | 265 (161)                          |
| • Juvenile Detentions .....        | 139 (112)               | 92 (75)                 | 47 (37)                            |
| • Transfers to Adult Court .....   | 30 (21)                 | 20 (13)                 | 10 (8)                             |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                              | Total       | White       | Nonwhite    |
|----------------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| • Number of Births .....                     | 854         | 682         | 172         |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population) .....    | 10.8        | 9.8         | 18.5        |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers .....              | 351 (41.1%) | 225 (33.0%) | 126 (73.3%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20 .....          | 113 (13.2%) | 68 (10.0%)  | 45 (26.2%)  |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20 .....          | 238 (27.9%) | 157 (23.0%) | 81 (47.1%)  |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20 .....            | 153 (17.9%) | 106 (15.5%) | 47 (27.3%)  |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17 .....            | 48.4        | 45.2        | 58.4        |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-19 .....            | 82.4        | 75.5        | 104.2       |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care ..... | 586 (68.9%) | 483 (71.1%) | 103 (59.9%) |
| • Low Birthweight Births .....               | 64 (7.5%)   | 43 (6.3%)   | 21 (12.2%)  |
| • Number of Infant Deaths .....              | 7           | 5           | 2           |
| • Infant Mortality Rate .....                | 8.2         | 7.3         | 11.6        |

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                         |     |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14 .....                                          | 4   |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19 .....                                  | 3   |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000) .....                 | 8.3 |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected .....                 | 162 |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage ..... | 270 |

#### 1996/97

|                                                                    |       |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment .....          | 658   |
| • No Indication .....                                              | 298   |
| • Some Indication .....                                            | 210   |
| • Verified .....                                                   | 148   |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed ..... | 1,130 |
| • Abuse .....                                                      | 353   |
| • Neglect .....                                                    | 422   |
| • Threatened Harm .....                                            | 332   |

## Hillsborough County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                                | Total   | White   | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------------|---------|---------|----------|
| • Total Population .....       | 910,855 | 763,947 | 146,908  |
| • Number of Children <18 ..... | 225,556 | 173,032 | 52,524   |
| • Age 0-4 .....                | 70,919  | 53,266  | 17,653   |
| • Age 5-9 .....                | 64,283  | 49,564  | 14,719   |
| • Age 10-14 .....              | 59,100  | 45,965  | 13,135   |
| • Age 15-17 .....              | 31,254  | 24,237  | 7,017    |
| • Age 18-19 .....              | 55,574  | 43,763  | 11,811   |
| • Age 20-24 .....              | 62,094  | 51,295  | 10,799   |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                      |                 |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count]) .....         | 147,897         |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) ..... | 23,571          |
| • Graduation Rate .....                                              | 74.0            |
| • Number of Non-Promotions .....                                     | 7,179           |
| • Number of Dropouts .....                                           | 1,849           |
| • Disciplinary Actions                                               |                 |
| • Corporal Punishments .....                                         | 69              |
| • In-School Suspensions .....                                        | 11,986          |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions .....                                    | 16,338          |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions .....                             | 417             |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96) .....                           | 86              |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96) .....                 | 84              |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch .....       | 71,889 (48.61%) |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                                    | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received ..... | 14,828 (8,684)          | 7,835 (5,032)           | 6,832 (3,556)                      |
| • Juvenile Detentions .....        | 2,812 (1,838)           | 1,221 (869)             | 1,564 (953)                        |
| • Transfers to Adult Court .....   | 953 (691)               | 385 (296)               | 556 (387)                          |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                              | Total          | White         | Nonwhite      |
|----------------------------------------------|----------------|---------------|---------------|
| • Number of Births .....                     | 13,673         | 10,521        | 3,136         |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population) .....    | 15.0           | 14            | 21.1          |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers .....              | 5,116 (37.4%)  | 3,025 (28.8%) | 2,087 (66.5%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20 .....          | 1,665 (12.2%)  | 954 (9.1%)    | 710 (22.6%)   |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20 .....          | 3,450 (25.2%)  | 2,070 (19.7%) | 1,377 (43.9%) |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20 .....            | 2,065 (15.1%)  | 1,323 (12.6%) | 741 (23.6%)   |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17 .....            | 56.0           | 43.1          | 100.0         |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 18-19 .....            | 73.8           | 60.7          | 121.1         |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care ..... | 11,374 (83.6%) | 9,082 (86.7%) | 2,286 (73.3%) |
| • Low Birthweight Births .....               | 1,066 (7.8%)   | 688 (6.5%)    | 377 (12.0%)   |
| • Number of Infant Deaths .....              | 127            | 71            | 55            |
| • Infant Mortality Rate .....                | 9.3            | 6.7           | 17.5          |

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                         |       |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14 .....                                          | 47    |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19 .....                                  | 39    |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000) .....                 | 6.9   |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected .....                 | 2,477 |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage ..... | 4,127 |

#### 1996/97

|                                                                    |        |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|--------|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment .....          | 7,486  |
| • No Indication .....                                              | 3,114  |
| • Some Indication .....                                            | 3,312  |
| • Verified .....                                                   | 978    |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed ..... | 11,021 |
| • Abuse .....                                                      | 2,841  |
| • Neglect .....                                                    | 4,780  |
| • Threatened Harm .....                                            | 3,118  |

## Holmes County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                                | Total  | White  | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------------|--------|--------|----------|
| • Total Population .....       | 17,412 | 15,803 | 1,609    |
| • Number of Children <18 ..... | 3,901  | 3,597  | 304      |
| • Age 0-4 .....                | 952    | 879    | 73       |
| • Age 5-9 .....                | 1,073  | 1,002  | 71       |
| • Age 10-14 .....              | 1,146  | 1,062  | 84       |
| • Age 15-17 .....              | 730    | 654    | 76       |
| • Age 18-19 .....              | 1,201  | 1,057  | 144      |
| • Age 20-24 .....              | 1,474  | 1,157  | 317      |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                      |                |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count]) .....         | 3,831          |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) ..... | 3              |
| • Graduation Rate .....                                              | 73.2           |
| • Number of Non-Promotions .....                                     | 187            |
| • Number of Dropouts .....                                           | 59             |
| • Disciplinary Actions                                               |                |
| • Corporal Punishments .....                                         | 402            |
| • In-School Suspensions .....                                        | 193            |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions .....                                    | 142            |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions .....                             | 0              |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96) .....                           | 79             |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96) .....                 | 81             |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch .....       | 2,272 (59.31%) |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                                    | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received ..... | 153 (112)               | 135 (104)               | 18 (8)                             |
| • Juvenile Detentions .....        | 39 (22)                 | 33 (21)                 | 6 (1)                              |
| • Transfers to Adult Court .....   | 3 (3)                   | 3 (3)                   | 0 (0)                              |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                              | Total       | White       | Nonwhite   |
|----------------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|------------|
| • Number of Births .....                     | 203         | 190         | 13         |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population) .....    | 11.7        | 12.1        | 7.9        |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers .....              | 64 (31.5%)  | 57 (30.0%)  | 7 (53.8*)  |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20 .....          | 24 (11.8%)  | 23 (12.1%)  | 1 (7.7*)   |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20 .....          | 40 (19.7%)  | 34 (17.9%)  | 6 (46.2*)  |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20 .....            | 40 (19.7%)  | 39 (20.5%)  | 1 (7.7*)   |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17 .....            | 41.4        | 41.5        | 40.0*      |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-19 .....            | 76.8        | 81.1        | 25.0*      |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care ..... | 171 (85.5%) | 160 (85.1%) | 11 (91.7*) |
| • Low Birthweight Births .....               | 12 (5.9%)   | 11 (5.8%)   | 1 (7.7*)   |
| • Number of Infant Deaths .....              | 2           | 2           | 0          |
| • Infant Mortality Rate .....                | 9.9         | 10.5        | 0.0*       |

\* unreliable ratios, denominator <100

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                         |     |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14 .....                                          | 4   |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19 .....                                  | 1   |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000) .....                 | 8.5 |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected .....                 | 47  |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage ..... | 67  |

#### 1996/97

|                                                                    |     |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment .....          | 233 |
| • No Indication .....                                              | 112 |
| • Some Indication .....                                            | 61  |
| • Verified .....                                                   | 59  |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed ..... | 378 |
| • Abuse .....                                                      | 85  |
| • Neglect .....                                                    | 145 |
| • Threatened Harm .....                                            | 139 |

## Indian River County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                          | Total   | White  | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------|---------|--------|----------|
| • Total Population       | 102,211 | 92,869 | 9,342    |
| • Number of Children <18 | 19,848  | 16,494 | 3,354    |
| • Age 0-4                | 5,524   | 4,418  | 1,106    |
| • Age 5-9                | 5,867   | 4,960  | 907      |
| • Age 10-14              | 5,505   | 4,686  | 819      |
| • Age 15-17              | 2,952   | 2,430  | 522      |
| • Age 18-19              | 4,925   | 4,065  | 860      |
| • Age 20-24              | 4,570   | 3,783  | 787      |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                |                |
|----------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count])         | 13,984         |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) | 1,965          |
| • Graduation Rate                                              | 75.9           |
| • Number of Non-Promotions                                     | 544            |
| • Number of Dropouts                                           | 119            |
| • Disciplinary Actions                                         |                |
| • Corporal Punishments                                         | 5              |
| • In-School Suspensions                                        | 1,937          |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions                                    | 1,145          |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions                             | 0              |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96)                           | 85             |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96)                 | 87             |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch       | 5,645 (40.37%) |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                              | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received | 1,061 (686)             | 736 (488)               | 317 (193)                          |
| • Juvenile Detentions        | 151 (116)               | 95 (73)                 | 56 (43)                            |
| • Transfers to Adult Court   | 27 (24)                 | 13 (12)                 | 14 (12)                            |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                        | Total       | White       | Nonwhite    |
|----------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| • Number of Births                     | 979         | 798         | 181         |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population)    | 9.5         | 8.5         | 19.1        |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers              | 335 (34.2%) | 207 (25.9%) | 128 (70.7%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20          | 117 (12.0%) | 67 (8.4%)   | 50 (27.6%)  |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20          | 218 (22.3%) | 140 (17.5%) | 78 (43.1%)  |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20            | 148 (15.1%) | 97 (12.2%)  | 51 (28.2%)  |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17            | 38.1        | 28.9        | 79.4        |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-19            | 59.5        | 47.7        | 114.4       |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care | 736 (77.4%) | 618 (79.5%) | 118 (67.8%) |
| • Low Birthweight Births               | 67 (6.8%)   | 51 (6.4%)   | 16 (8.8%)   |
| • Number of Infant Deaths              | 8           | 5           | 3           |
| • Infant Mortality Rate                | 8.2         | 6.3         | 16.6        |

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                   |     |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14                                          | 3   |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19                                  | 5   |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000)                 | 9.9 |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected                 | 194 |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage | 319 |

#### 1996/97

|                                                              |     |
|--------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment          | 626 |
| • No Indication                                              | 327 |
| • Some Indication                                            | 197 |
| • Verified                                                   | 102 |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed | 578 |
| • Abuse                                                      | 175 |
| • Neglect                                                    | 219 |
| • Threatened Harm                                            | 176 |

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## Jackson County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                          | Total  | White  | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------|--------|--------|----------|
| • Total Population       | 48,629 | 35,329 | 13,300   |
| • Number of Children <18 | 10,855 | 7,402  | 3,453    |
| • Age 0-4                | 3,139  | 2,059  | 1,080    |
| • Age 5-9                | 2,755  | 1,933  | 822      |
| • Age 10-14              | 2,933  | 2,059  | 874      |
| • Age 15-17              | 2,028  | 1,351  | 677      |
| • Age 18-19              | 3,578  | 2,399  | 1,179    |
| • Age 20-24              | 4,642  | 2,817  | 1,825    |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                        | Total       | White       | Nonwhite    |
|----------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| • Number of Births                     | 547         | 392         | 155         |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population)    | 11.4        | 11.3        | 11.9        |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers              | 199 (36.4%) | 99 (25.3%)  | 100 (64.5%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20          | 63 (11.5%)  | 30 (7.7%)   | 33 (21.3%)  |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20          | 136 (24.9%) | 69 (17.6%)  | 67 (43.2%)  |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20            | 96 (17.6%)  | 61 (15.6%)  | 35 (22.6%)  |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17            | 36.9        | 30.7        | 50.7        |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-19            | 61.3        | 56.5        | 72.5        |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care | 509 (93.7%) | 370 (94.9%) | 139 (90.8%) |
| • Low Birthweight Births               | 50 (9.1%)   | 23 (5.9%)   | 27 (17.4%)  |
| • Number of Infant Deaths              | 6           | 2           | 4           |
| • Infant Mortality Rate                | 11.0        | 5.1         | 25.8        |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                |                |
|----------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count])         | 8,098          |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) | 256            |
| • Graduation Rate                                              | 79.7           |
| • Number of Non-Promotions                                     | 357            |
| • Number of Dropouts                                           | 83             |
| • Disciplinary Actions                                         |                |
| • Corporal Punishments                                         | 830            |
| • In-School Suspensions                                        | 954            |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions                                    | 690            |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions                             | 0              |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96)                           | 77             |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96)                 | 69             |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch       | 4,263 (52.64%) |

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                   |     |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14                                          | 4   |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19                                  | 1   |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000)                 | 2.9 |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected                 | 121 |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage | 189 |

#### 1996/97

|                                                              |     |
|--------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment          | 444 |
| • No Indication                                              | 195 |
| • Some Indication                                            | 186 |
| • Verified                                                   | 51  |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed | 623 |
| • Abuse                                                      | 188 |
| • Neglect                                                    | 219 |
| • Threatened Harm                                            | 198 |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                              | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received | 344 (246)               | 189 (128)               | 155 (118)                          |
| • Juvenile Detentions        | 57 (45)                 | 21 (15)                 | 36 (30)                            |
| • Transfers to Adult Court   | 11 (9)                  | 5 (5)                   | 6 (4)                              |

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## Jefferson County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                                | Total  | White | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------------|--------|-------|----------|
| • Total Population .....       | 13,713 | 7,976 | 5,737    |
| • Number of Children <18 ..... | 3,470  | 1,690 | 1,780    |
| • Age 0-4 .....                | 1,020  | 423   | 597      |
| • Age 5-9 .....                | 895    | 466   | 429      |
| • Age 10-14 .....              | 971    | 515   | 456      |
| • Age 15-17 .....              | 584    | 286   | 298      |
| • Age 18-19 .....              | 969    | 474   | 495      |
| • Age 20-24 .....              | 934    | 432   | 502      |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                      |                |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count]) .....         | 2,126          |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) ..... | 347            |
| • Graduation Rate .....                                              | 59.0           |
| • Number of Non-Promotions .....                                     | 124            |
| • Number of Dropouts .....                                           | 25             |
| • Disciplinary Actions .....                                         |                |
| • Corporal Punishments .....                                         | 58             |
| • In-School Suspensions .....                                        | 403            |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions .....                                    | 477            |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions .....                             | 12             |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96) .....                           | 72             |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96) .....                 | 64             |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch .....       | 1,426 (67.07%) |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                                    | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received ..... | 144 (85)                | 40 (26)                 | 104 (59)                           |
| • Juvenile Detentions .....        | 30 (21)                 | 4 (3)                   | 26 (18)                            |
| • Transfers to Adult Court .....   | 8 (7)                   | 1 (1)                   | 7 (6)                              |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                              | Total       | White       | Nonwhite    |
|----------------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| • Number of Births .....                     | 155         | 79          | 76          |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population) .....    | 11.3        | 9.9         | 13.5        |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers .....              | 77 (49.7%)  | 12 (15.2*%) | 65 (85.5*%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20 .....          | 28 (18.1%)  | 3 (3.8*%)   | 25 (32.9*%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20 .....          | 49 (31.6%)  | 9 (11.4*%)  | 40 (52.6*%) |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20 .....            | 33 (21.3%)  | 6 (7.6*%)   | 27 (35.5*%) |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17 .....            | 17.4        | 6.8         | 28.4        |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-19 .....            | 67.7        | 21.7        | 114.0       |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care ..... | 142 (91.6%) | 77 (97.5*%) | 65 (85.5*%) |
| • Low Birthweight Births .....               | 12 (7.7%)   | 3 (3.8*%)   | 9 (11.8*%)  |
| • Number of Infant Deaths .....              | 1           | 0           | 1           |
| • Infant Mortality Rate .....                | 6.5         | 0.0*        | 13.2*       |

\* unreliable ratios, denominator <100

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                         |     |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14 .....                                          | 2   |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19 .....                                  | 0   |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000) .....                 | 0.0 |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected .....                 | 132 |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage ..... | 203 |

#### 1996/97

|                                                                    |     |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment .....          | 114 |
| • No Indication .....                                              | 66  |
| • Some Indication .....                                            | 37  |
| • Verified .....                                                   | 9   |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed ..... | 125 |
| • Abuse .....                                                      | 37  |
| • Neglect .....                                                    | 45  |
| • Threatened Harm .....                                            | 35  |

## Lafayette County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                                | Total | White | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------------|-------|-------|----------|
| • Total Population .....       | 7,012 | 5,600 | 1,412    |
| • Number of Children <18 ..... | 1,564 | 1,252 | 312      |
| • Age 0-4 .....                | 420   | 320   | 100      |
| • Age 5-9 .....                | 399   | 319   | 80       |
| • Age 10-14 .....              | 464   | 380   | 84       |
| • Age 15-17 .....              | 281   | 233   | 48       |
| • Age 18-19 .....              | 464   | 367   | 97       |
| • Age 20-24 .....              | 718   | 487   | 231      |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                      |              |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count]) .....         | 1,109        |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) ..... | 0            |
| • Graduation Rate .....                                              | 68.7         |
| • Number of Non-Promotions .....                                     | 34           |
| • Number of Dropouts .....                                           | 22           |
| • Disciplinary Actions .....                                         |              |
| • Corporal Punishments .....                                         | 59           |
| • In-School Suspensions .....                                        | 198          |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions .....                                    | 76           |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions .....                             | 0            |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96) .....                           | 70           |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96) .....                 | 86           |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch .....       | 584 (52.66%) |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                                    | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received ..... | 32 (26)                 | 16 (15)                 | 16 (11)                            |
| • Juvenile Detentions .....        | 6 (6)                   | 4 (4)                   | 2 (2)                              |
| • Transfers to Adult Court .....   | 3 (2)                   | 1 (1)                   | 2 (1)                              |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                              | Total       | White       | Nonwhite     |
|----------------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|
| • Number of Births .....                     | 71          | 61          | 10           |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population) .....    | 10.1        | 11.0        | 6.7          |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers .....              | 24 (33.8*%) | 14 (23.0*%) | 10 (100.0*%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20 .....          | 7 (9.9*%)   | 2 (3.3*%)   | 5 (50.0*%)   |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20 .....          | 17 (23.9*%) | 12 (19.7*%) | 5 (50.0*%)   |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20 .....            | 8 (11.3*%)  | 3 (4.9*%)   | 5 (50.0*%)   |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17 .....            | 36.8        | 9.0         | 160.0*       |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-19 .....            | 39.4        | 18.4        | 125.0*       |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care ..... | 58 (81.7*%) | 52 (85.2*%) | 6 (60.0*%)   |
| • Low Birthweight Births .....               | 7 (9.9*%)   | 7 (11.5*%)  | 0 (0.0*%)    |
| • Number of Infant Deaths .....              | 0           | 0           | 0            |
| • Infant Mortality Rate .....                | 0.0*        | 0.0*        | 0.0*         |

\* unreliable ratios, denominator <100

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                         |     |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14 .....                                          | 0   |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19 .....                                  | 0   |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000) .....                 | 0.0 |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected .....                 | 16  |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage ..... | 26  |

#### 1996/97

|                                                                    |       |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment .....          | 40    |
| • No Indication .....                                              | 25    |
| • Some Indication .....                                            | 14    |
| • Verified .....                                                   | 1     |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed ..... | 2,235 |
| • Abuse .....                                                      | 535   |
| • Neglect .....                                                    | 863   |
| • Threatened Harm .....                                            | 765   |

## Lake County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                          | Total   | White   | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------|---------|---------|----------|
| • Total Population       | 182,309 | 163,851 | 18,458   |
| • Number of Children <18 | 35,943  | 29,277  | 6,666    |
| • Age 0-4                | 10,866  | 8,576   | 2,290    |
| • Age 5-9                | 10,106  | 8,286   | 1,820    |
| • Age 10-14              | 9,825   | 8,135   | 1,690    |
| • Age 15-17              | 5,146   | 4,280   | 866      |
| • Age 18-19              | 8,453   | 6,986   | 1,467    |
| • Age 20-24              | 8,111   | 6,862   | 1,249    |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                |                 |
|----------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count])         | 26,131          |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) | 2,644           |
| • Graduation Rate                                              | 75.3            |
| • Number of Non-Promotions                                     | 985             |
| • Number of Dropouts                                           | 440             |
| • Disciplinary Actions                                         |                 |
| • Corporal Punishments                                         | 173             |
| • In-School Suspensions                                        | 1,654           |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions                                    | 3,234           |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions                             | 52              |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96)                           | 72              |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96)                 | 77              |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch       | 10,618 (40.63%) |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                              | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received | 2,310 (1,443)           | 1,567 (1,017)           | 738 (423)                          |
| • Juvenile Detentions        | 493 (347)               | 309 (213)               | 182 (133)                          |
| • Transfers to Adult Court   | 42 (26)                 | 30 (17)                 | 12 (9)                             |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                        | Total         | White         | Nonwhite    |
|----------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|-------------|
| • Number of Births                     | 1,949         | 1,641         | 308         |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population)    | 10.6          | 9.9           | 16.4        |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers              | 724 (37.1%)   | 513 (31.3%)   | 211 (68.5%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20          | 261 (13.4%)   | 181 (11.0%)   | 80 (26.0%)  |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20          | 463 (23.8%)   | 332 (20.2%)   | 131 (42.5%) |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20            | 356 (18.3%)   | 271 (16.5%)   | 85 (27.6%)  |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17            | 48.0          | 41.3          | 80.3        |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-19            | 81.9          | 76.5          | 107.6       |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care | 1,676 (86.2%) | 1,430 (87.4%) | 246 (79.9%) |
| • Low Birthweight Births               | 166 (8.5%)    | 117 (7.1%)    | 49 (15.9%)  |
| • Number of Infant Deaths              | 18            | 12            | 6           |
| • Infant Mortality Rate                | 9.2           | 7.3           | 19.5        |

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                   |     |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14                                          | 10  |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19                                  | 2   |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000)                 | 2.3 |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected                 | 430 |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage | 722 |

#### 1996/97

|                                                              |       |
|--------------------------------------------------------------|-------|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment          | 1,525 |
| • No Indication                                              | 665   |
| • Some Indication                                            | 616   |
| • Verified                                                   | 224   |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed | 31    |
| • Abuse                                                      | 12    |
| • Neglect                                                    | 6     |
| • Threatened Harm                                            | 13    |

## Lee County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                          | Total   | White   | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------|---------|---------|----------|
| • Total Population       | 383,706 | 352,920 | 30,786   |
| • Number of Children <18 | 76,431  | 64,683  | 11,748   |
| • Age 0-4                | 22,431  | 18,779  | 3,652    |
| • Age 5-9                | 22,256  | 18,894  | 3,362    |
| • Age 10-14              | 21,013  | 17,926  | 3,087    |
| • Age 15-17              | 10,731  | 9,084   | 1,647    |
| • Age 15-19              | 18,138  | 15,516  | 2,622    |
| • Age 20-24              | 18,136  | 15,791  | 2,345    |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                |                 |
|----------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count])         | 52,319          |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) | 6,052           |
| • Graduation Rate                                              | 83.7            |
| • Number of Non-Promotions                                     | 2,119           |
| • Number of Dropouts                                           | 906             |
| • Disciplinary Actions                                         |                 |
| • Corporal Punishments                                         | 123             |
| • In-School Suspensions                                        | 7,004           |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions                                    | 5,664           |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions                             | 719             |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96)                           | 70              |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96)                 | 74              |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch       | 22,962 (43.89%) |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                              | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received | 3,918 (2,253)           | 2,730 (1,639)           | 1,154 (601)                        |
| • Juvenile Detentions        | 875 (566)               | 525 (360)               | 340 (203)                          |
| • Transfers to Adult Court   | 83 (54)                 | 36 (24)                 | 43 (29)                            |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                        | Total         | White         | Nonwhite    |
|----------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|-------------|
| • Number of Births                     | 4,450         | 3,841         | 607         |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population)    | 11.4          | 10.7          | 19.2        |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers              | 1,644 (36.9%) | 1,200 (31.2%) | 444 (73.1%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20          | 528 (11.9%)   | 343 (8.9%)    | 185 (30.5%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20          | 1,116 (25.1%) | 857 (22.3%)   | 259 (42.7%) |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20            | 625 (14.0%)   | 437 (11.4%)   | 188 (31.0%) |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17            | 46.7          | 34.4          | 114.9       |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-19            | 67.5          | 55.3          | 138.9       |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care | 3,455 (78.7%) | 3,084 (81.3%) | 371 (62.4%) |
| • Low Birthweight Births               | 325 (7.3%)    | 253 (6.6%)    | 72 (11.9%)  |
| • Number of Infant Deaths              | 42            | 31            | 11          |
| • Infant Mortality Rate                | 9.4           | 8.1           | 18.1        |

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                   |       |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14                                          | 27    |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19                                  | 10    |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000)                 | 5.3   |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected                 | 924   |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage | 1,519 |

#### 1996/97

|                                                              |       |
|--------------------------------------------------------------|-------|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment          | 2,690 |
| • No Indication                                              | 1,691 |
| • Some Indication                                            | 741   |
| • Verified                                                   | 240   |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed | 2,261 |
| • Abuse                                                      | 683   |
| • Neglect                                                    | 857   |
| • Threatened Harm                                            | 663   |



## Leon County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                          | Total   | White   | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------|---------|---------|----------|
| • Total Population       | 221,621 | 162,713 | 58,908   |
| • Number of Children <18 | 49,015  | 32,425  | 16,590   |
| • Age 0-4                | 14,112  | 9,324   | 4,788    |
| • Age 5-9                | 13,443  | 8,754   | 4,689    |
| • Age 10-14              | 13,238  | 9,050   | 4,188    |
| • Age 15-17              | 8,222   | 5,297   | 2,925    |
| • Age 18-19              | 22,718  | 14,697  | 8,021    |
| • Age 20-24              | 33,457  | 22,902  | 10,555   |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                |                |
|----------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count])         | 31,569         |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) | 6,249          |
| • Graduation Rate                                              | 80.6           |
| • Number of Non-Promotions                                     | 1,736          |
| • Number of Dropouts                                           | 390            |
| • Disciplinary Actions                                         |                |
| • Corporal Punishments                                         | 0              |
| • In-School Suspensions                                        | 342            |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions                                    | 1,860          |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions                             | 1              |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96)                           | 76             |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96)                 | 81             |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch       | 9,422 (29.85%) |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                              | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received | 2,469 (1,710)           | 1,061 (789)             | 1,403 (917)                        |
| • Juvenile Detentions        | 344 (272)               | 127 (102)               | 217 (170)                          |
| • Transfers to Adult Court   | 70 (57)                 | 23 (18)                 | 47 (39)                            |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                        | Total         | White         | Nonwhite    |
|----------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|-------------|
| • Number of Births                     | 2,789         | 1,753         | 1,035       |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population)    | 12.5          | 10.7          | 17.4        |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers              | 929 (33.3%)   | 292 (16.7%)   | 636 (61.4%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20          | 279 (10.0%)   | 94 (5.4%)     | 185 (17.9%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20          | 650 (23.3%)   | 198 (11.3%)   | 451 (43.6%) |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20            | 328 (11.8%)   | 137 (7.8%)    | 191 (18.5%) |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17            | 31.8          | 19.9          | 54.5        |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-19            | 26.1          | 17.2          | 42.0        |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care | 2,512 (90.4%) | 1,645 (94.3%) | 866 (83.8%) |
| • Low Birthweight Births               | 215 (7.7%)    | 100 (5.7%)    | 115 (11.1%) |
| • Number of Infant Deaths              | 15            | 8             | 7           |
| • Infant Mortality Rate                | 5.4           | 4.6           | 6.8         |

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                   |     |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14                                          | 9   |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19                                  | 10  |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000)                 | 4.4 |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected                 | 416 |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage | 665 |

#### 1996/97

|                                                              |       |
|--------------------------------------------------------------|-------|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment          | 1,501 |
| • No Indication                                              | 715   |
| • Some Indication                                            | 536   |
| • Verified                                                   | 216   |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed | 1,869 |
| • Abuse                                                      | 557   |
| • Neglect                                                    | 716   |
| • Threatened Harm                                            | 561   |

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## Levy County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                          | Total  | White  | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------|--------|--------|----------|
| • Total Population       | 30,690 | 26,748 | 3,942    |
| • Number of Children <18 | 6,997  | 5,607  | 1,390    |
| • Age 0-4                | 1,878  | 1,451  | 427      |
| • Age 5-9                | 2,029  | 1,657  | 372      |
| • Age 10-14              | 1,960  | 1,564  | 396      |
| • Age 15-17              | 1,130  | 935    | 195      |
| • Age 18-19              | 1,854  | 1,519  | 335      |
| • Age 20-24              | 1,687  | 1,410  | 277      |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                        | Total       | White       | Nonwhite    |
|----------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| • Number of Births                     | 362         | 314         | 48          |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population)    | 11.7        | 11.7        | 12.2        |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers              | 135 (37.3%) | 99 (31.5%)  | 36 (75.0*%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20          | 62 (17.1%)  | 43 (13.7%)  | 19 (39.6*%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20          | 73 (20.2%)  | 56 (17.8%)  | 17 (35.4*%) |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20            | 88 (24.3%)  | 69 (22.0%)  | 19 (39.6*%) |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17            | 65.8        | 57.8        | 103.1*      |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-19            | 96.6        | 92.6        | 114.5       |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care | 284 (78.9%) | 257 (81.8%) | 27 (58.7*%) |
| • Low Birthweight Births               | 30 (8.3%)   | 23 (7.3%)   | 7 (14.6*%)  |
| • Number of Infant Deaths              | 4           | 3           | 1           |
| • Infant Mortality Rate                | 11.0        | 9.6         | 20.8*       |

\* unreliable ratios, denominator <100

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                |                |
|----------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count])         | 5,918          |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) | 46             |
| • Graduation Rate                                              | 90.9           |
| • Number of Non-Promotions                                     | 352            |
| • Number of Dropouts                                           | 80             |
| • Disciplinary Actions                                         |                |
| • Corporal Punishments                                         | 183            |
| • In-School Suspensions                                        | 839            |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions                                    | 585            |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions                             | 1              |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96)                           | 77             |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96)                 | 81             |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch       | 3,288 (55.56%) |

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                   |      |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------|------|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14                                          | 2    |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19                                  | 2    |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000)                 | 10.8 |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected                 | 51   |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage | 83   |

#### 1996/97

|                                                              |     |
|--------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment          | 337 |
| • No Indication                                              | 125 |
| • Some Indication                                            | 184 |
| • Verified                                                   | 28  |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed | 646 |
| • Abuse                                                      | 178 |
| • Neglect                                                    | 234 |
| • Threatened Harm                                            | 215 |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                              | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received | 302 (205)               | 195 (131)               | 107 (74)                           |
| • Juvenile Detentions        | 37 (30)                 | 20 (18)                 | 17 (12)                            |
| • Transfers to Adult Court   | 4 (4)                   | 2 (2)                   | 2 (2)                              |

## Liberty County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                          | Total | White | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------|-------|-------|----------|
| • Total Population       | 7,439 | 5,725 | 1,714    |
| • Number of Children <18 | 1,631 | 1,340 | 291      |
| • Age 0-4                | 469   | 369   | 100      |
| • Age 5-9                | 416   | 351   | 65       |
| • Age 10-14              | 457   | 376   | 81       |
| • Age 15-17              | 289   | 244   | 45       |
| • Age 18-19              | 471   | 383   | 88       |
| • Age 20-24              | 644   | 445   | 199      |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                |              |
|----------------------------------------------------------------|--------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count])         | 1,247        |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) | 0            |
| • Graduation Rate                                              | 86.4         |
| • Number of Non-Promotions                                     | 83           |
| • Number of Dropouts                                           | 15           |
| • Disciplinary Actions                                         |              |
| • Corporal Punishments                                         | 132          |
| • In-School Suspensions                                        | 26           |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions                                    | 41           |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions                             | 1            |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96)                           | 77           |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96)                 | 81           |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch       | 553 (44.35%) |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                              | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received | 30 (21)                 | 24 (16)                 | 6 (5)                              |
| • Juvenile Detentions        | 3 (3)                   | 2 (2)                   | 1 (1)                              |
| • Transfers to Adult Court   | 1 (1)                   | 1 (1)                   | 0 (0)                              |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                        | Total      | White      | Nonwhite  |
|----------------------------------------|------------|------------|-----------|
| • Number of Births                     | 80         | 70         | 10        |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population)    | 10.9       | 12.5       | 5.8       |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers              | 27 (33.8*) | 18 (25.7*) | 9 (90.0*) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20          | 7 (8.8*)   | 7 (10.0*)  | 0 (0.0*)  |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20          | 20 (25.0*) | 11 (15.7*) | 9 (90.0*) |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20            | 14 (17.5*) | 14 (20.0*) | 0 (0.0*)  |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17            | 38.2       | 47.2       | 0.0*      |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-19            | 65.1       | 80.0       | 0.0*      |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care | 69 (86.3*) | 61 (87.1*) | 8 (80.0*) |
| • Low Birthweight Births               | 11 (13.8*) | 9 (12.9*)  | 2 (20.0*) |
| • Number of Infant Deaths              | 0          | 0          | 0         |
| • Infant Mortality Rate                | 0.0*       | 0.0*       | 0.0*      |

\* unreliable ratios, denominator <100

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                   |     |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14                                          | 0   |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19                                  | 0   |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000)                 | 0.0 |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected                 | 15  |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage | 21  |

#### 1996/97

|                                                              |     |
|--------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment          | 82  |
| • No Indication                                              | 28  |
| • Some Indication                                            | 38  |
| • Verified                                                   | 16  |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed | 145 |
| • Abuse                                                      | 31  |
| • Neglect                                                    | 73  |
| • Threatened Harm                                            | 41  |

## Madison County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                                | Total  | White  | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------------|--------|--------|----------|
| • Total Population .....       | 18,745 | 10,737 | 8,008    |
| • Number of Children <18 ..... | 5,027  | 2,439  | 2,588    |
| • Age 0-4 .....                | 1,453  | 643    | 810      |
| • Age 5-9 .....                | 1,458  | 732    | 726      |
| • Age 10-14 .....              | 1,341  | 684    | 657      |
| • Age 15-17 .....              | 775    | 380    | 395      |
| • Age 18-19 .....              | 1,298  | 642    | 656      |
| • Age 20-24 .....              | 1,535  | 737    | 798      |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                              | Total       | White      | Nonwhite   |
|----------------------------------------------|-------------|------------|------------|
| • Number of Births .....                     | 210         | 102        | 108        |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population) .....    | 11.3        | 9.6        | 13.6       |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers .....              | 113 (53.8%) | 28 (27.5%) | 85 (78.7%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20 .....          | 36 (17.1%)  | 10 (9.8%)  | 26 (24.1%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20 .....          | 77 (36.7%)  | 18 (17.6%) | 59 (54.6%) |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20 .....            | 41 (19.5%)  | 14 (13.7%) | 27 (25.0%) |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17 .....            | 47.1        | 39.1       | 54.9       |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 18-19 .....            | 68.0        | 46.1       | 90.3       |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care ..... | 185 (88.9%) | 94 (92.2%) | 91 (85.8%) |
| • Low Birthweight Births .....               | 16 (7.6%)   | 1 (1.0%)   | 15 (13.9%) |
| • Number of Infant Deaths .....              | 2           | 0          | 2          |
| • Infant Mortality Rate .....                | 9.5         | 0.0        | 18.5       |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                      |                |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count]) .....         | 3,479          |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) ..... | 328            |
| • Graduation Rate .....                                              | 70.6           |
| • Number of Non-Promotions .....                                     | 285            |
| • Number of Dropouts .....                                           | 92             |
| • Disciplinary Actions                                               |                |
| • Corporal Punishments .....                                         | 407            |
| • In-School Suspensions .....                                        | 743            |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions .....                                    | 236            |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions .....                             | 8              |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96) .....                           | 64             |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96) .....                 | 86             |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch .....       | 2,193 (63.04%) |

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                         |      |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|------|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14 .....                                          | 1    |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19 .....                                  | 3    |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000) .....                 | 23.4 |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected .....                 | 31   |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage ..... | 54   |

#### 1996/97

|                                                                    |     |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment .....          | 182 |
| • No Indication .....                                              | 101 |
| • Some Indication .....                                            | 56  |
| • Verified .....                                                   | 23  |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed ..... | 173 |
| • Abuse .....                                                      | 72  |
| • Neglect .....                                                    | 56  |
| • Threatened Harm .....                                            | 42  |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                                    | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received ..... | 203 (127)               | 74 (41)                 | 128 (85)                           |
| • Juvenile Detentions .....        | 33 (24)                 | 9 (8)                   | 24 (16)                            |
| • Transfers to Adult Court .....   | 19 (14)                 | 7 (4)                   | 12 (10)                            |

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## Manatee County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                                | Total   | White   | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------------|---------|---------|----------|
| • Total Population .....       | 236,778 | 214,821 | 21,957   |
| • Number of Children <18 ..... | 46,437  | 38,567  | 7,870    |
| • Age 0-4 .....                | 14,389  | 11,898  | 2,491    |
| • Age 5-9 .....                | 13,242  | 10,942  | 2,300    |
| • Age 10-14 .....              | 12,332  | 10,287  | 2,045    |
| • Age 15-17 .....              | 6,474   | 5,440   | 1,034    |
| • Age 18-19 .....              | 11,050  | 9,370   | 1,680    |
| • Age 20-24 .....              | 11,273  | 9,548   | 1,725    |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                      |                 |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count]) .....         | 32,777          |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) ..... | 3,221           |
| • Graduation Rate .....                                              | 61.5            |
| • Number of Non-Promotions .....                                     | 1,264           |
| • Number of Dropouts .....                                           | 562             |
| • Disciplinary Actions                                               |                 |
| • Corporal Punishments .....                                         | 0               |
| • In-School Suspensions .....                                        | 2,740           |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions .....                                    | 3,201           |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions .....                             | 30              |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96) .....                           | 79              |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96) .....                 | 80              |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch .....       | 14,083 (42.97%) |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                                    | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received ..... | 3,586 (1,992)           | 2,340 (1,365)           | 1,196 (602)                        |
| • Juvenile Detentions .....        | 753 (492)               | 456 (312)               | 285 (174)                          |
| • Transfers to Adult Court .....   | 148 (100)               | 73 (43)                 | 75 (57)                            |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                              | Total         | White         | Nonwhite    |
|----------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|-------------|
| • Number of Births .....                     | 2,880         | 2,416         | 462         |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population) .....    | 12.1          | 11.2          | 20.6        |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers .....              | 1,128 (39.2%) | 803 (33.2%)   | 325 (70.3%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20 .....          | 392 (13.6%)   | 272 (11.3%)   | 120 (26.0%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20 .....          | 736 (25.6%)   | 531 (22.0%)   | 205 (44.4%) |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20 .....            | 497 (17.3%)   | 371 (15.4%)   | 126 (27.3%) |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17 .....            | 61.7          | 55.0          | 96.0        |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 18-19 .....            | 88.8          | 79.2          | 141.3       |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care ..... | 2,261 (78.6%) | 1,951 (80.8%) | 309 (66.9%) |
| • Low Birthweight Births .....               | 226 (7.8%)    | 167 (6.9%)    | 59 (12.8%)  |
| • Number of Infant Deaths .....              | 13            | 7             | 6           |
| • Infant Mortality Rate .....                | 4.5           | 2.9           | 13.0        |

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                         |     |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14 .....                                          | 6   |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19 .....                                  | 9   |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000) .....                 | 8.0 |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected .....                 | 348 |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage ..... | 588 |

#### 1996/97

|                                                                    |       |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment .....          | 2,197 |
| • No Indication .....                                              | 855   |
| • Some Indication .....                                            | 990   |
| • Verified .....                                                   | 347   |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed ..... | 3,553 |
| • Abuse .....                                                      | 952   |
| • Neglect .....                                                    | 1,443 |
| • Threatened Harm .....                                            | 1,116 |



## Marion County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                          | Total   | White   | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------|---------|---------|----------|
| • Total Population       | 229,260 | 197,817 | 31,443   |
| • Number of Children <18 | 49,767  | 38,815  | 10,952   |
| • Age 0-4                | 14,445  | 10,801  | 3,644    |
| • Age 5-9                | 14,133  | 11,053  | 3,080    |
| • Age 10-14              | 13,565  | 10,809  | 2,756    |
| • Age 15-17              | 7,624   | 6,152   | 1,472    |
| • Age 18-19              | 12,604  | 10,188  | 2,416    |
| • Age 20-24              | 11,491  | 9,202   | 2,289    |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                        | Total         | White         | Nonwhite    |
|----------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|-------------|
| • Number of Births                     | 2,503         | 1,958         | 544         |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population)    | 10.7          | 9.8           | 16.9        |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers              | 970 (38.8%)   | 613 (31.3%)   | 356 (65.4%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20          | 346 (13.8%)   | 214 (10.9%)   | 132 (24.3%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20          | 624 (24.9%)   | 399 (20.4%)   | 224 (41.2%) |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20            | 440 (17.6%)   | 302 (15.4%)   | 138 (25.4%) |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17            | 45.1          | 37.1          | 76.7        |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-19            | 69.4          | 60.0          | 106.9       |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care | 1,953 (78.4%) | 1,596 (81.7%) | 357 (66.2%) |
| • Low Birthweight Births               | 170 (6.8%)    | 106 (5.4%)    | 64 (11.8%)  |
| • Number of Infant Deaths              | 19            | 12            | 7           |
| • Infant Mortality Rate                | 7.6           | 6.1           | 12.9        |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                |                 |
|----------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count])         | 36,242          |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) | 6,151           |
| • Graduation Rate                                              | 76.8            |
| • Number of Non-Promotions                                     | 1,968           |
| • Number of Dropouts                                           | 646             |
| • Disciplinary Actions                                         |                 |
| • Corporal Punishments                                         | 600             |
| • In-School Suspensions                                        | 5,167           |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions                                    | 5,926           |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions                             | 83              |
| • Percent Passing HSC/T Math (Oct/96)                          | 70              |
| • Percent Passing HSC/T Communications (Oct/96)                | 74              |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch       | 18,442 (50.89%) |

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                   |     |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14                                          | 11  |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19                                  | 5   |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000)                 | 3.9 |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected                 | 574 |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage | 998 |

#### 1996/97

|                                                              |       |
|--------------------------------------------------------------|-------|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment          | 2,284 |
| • No Indication                                              | 956   |
| • Some Indication                                            | 1,054 |
| • Verified                                                   | 273   |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed | 3,241 |
| • Abuse                                                      | 1,010 |
| • Neglect                                                    | 1,216 |
| • Threatened Harm                                            | 961   |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                              | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received | 2,663 (1,823)           | 1,894 (1,307)           | 750 (500)                          |
| • Juvenile Detentions        | 447 (318)               | 313 (212)               | 133 (105)                          |
| • Transfers to Adult Court   | 84 (54)                 | 54 (33)                 | 30 (21)                            |

## Martin County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                                | Total   | White   | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------------|---------|---------|----------|
| • Total Population .....       | 114,464 | 104,868 | 9,596    |
| • Number of Children <18 ..... | 20,843  | 17,556  | 3,287    |
| • Age 0-4 .....                | 6,328   | 4,994   | 1,334    |
| • Age 5-9 .....                | 5,750   | 4,960   | 790      |
| • Age 10-14 .....              | 5,702   | 5,018   | 684      |
| • Age 15-17 .....              | 3,063   | 2,584   | 479      |
| • Age 15-19 .....              | 5,152   | 4,364   | 788      |
| • Age 20-24 .....              | 5,028   | 4,172   | 856      |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                      |                |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count]) .....         | 14,824         |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) ..... | 2,077          |
| • Graduation Rate .....                                              | 78.1           |
| • Number of Non-Promotions .....                                     | 20             |
| • Number of Dropouts .....                                           | 93             |
| • Disciplinary Actions                                               |                |
| • Corporal Punishments .....                                         | 0              |
| • In-School Suspensions .....                                        | 1,687          |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions .....                                    | 1,173          |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions .....                             | 1              |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96) .....                           | 79             |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96) .....                 | 85             |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch .....       | 4,541 (30.63%) |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                                    | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received ..... | 1,115 (787)             | 803 (601)               | 300 (179)                          |
| • Juvenile Detentions .....        | 111 (86)                | 68 (54)                 | 41 (30)                            |
| • Transfers to Adult Court .....   | 29 (23)                 | 13 (10)                 | 15 (12)                            |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                              | Total       | White       | Nonwhite    |
|----------------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| • Number of Births .....                     | 1,132       | 941         | 191         |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population) .....    | 9.8         | 8.9         | 19.1        |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers .....              | 370 (32.7%) | 248 (26.4%) | 122 (63.9%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20 .....          | 102 (9.0%)  | 73 (7.8%)   | 29 (15.2%)  |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20 .....          | 268 (23.7%) | 175 (18.6%) | 93 (48.7%)  |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20 .....            | 128 (11.3%) | 95 (10.1%)  | 33 (17.3%)  |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17 .....            | 27.9        | 25.2        | 43.9        |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-19 .....            | 48.8        | 42.9        | 84.7        |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care ..... | 949 (84.1%) | 825 (88.0%) | 124 (64.9%) |
| • Low Birthweight Births .....               | 83 (7.3%)   | 65 (6.9%)   | 18 (9.4%)   |
| • Number of Infant Deaths .....              | 4           | 2           | 2           |
| • Infant Mortality Rate .....                | 3.5         | 2.1         | 10.5        |

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                         |     |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14 .....                                          | 2   |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19 .....                                  | 2   |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000) .....                 | 3.8 |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected .....                 | 223 |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage ..... | 383 |

#### 1996/97

|                                                                    |     |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment .....          | 509 |
| • No Indication .....                                              | 288 |
| • Some Indication .....                                            | 175 |
| • Verified .....                                                   | 45  |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed ..... | 521 |
| • Abuse .....                                                      | 147 |
| • Neglect .....                                                    | 194 |
| • Threatened Harm .....                                            | 166 |

## Monroe County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                                | Total  | White  | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------------|--------|--------|----------|
| • Total Population .....       | 83,789 | 77,599 | 6,190    |
| • Number of Children <18 ..... | 15,427 | 13,502 | 1,925    |
| • Age 0-4 .....                | 4,899  | 4,239  | 660      |
| • Age 5-9 .....                | 4,477  | 3,901  | 576      |
| • Age 10-14 .....              | 4,133  | 3,656  | 477      |
| • Age 15-17 .....              | 1,918  | 1,706  | 212      |
| • Age 18-19 .....              | 3,366  | 2,998  | 368      |
| • Age 20-24 .....              | 4,303  | 3,812  | 491      |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                      |                |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count]) .....         | 9,379          |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) ..... | 922            |
| • Graduation Rate .....                                              | 77.3           |
| • Number of Non-Promotions .....                                     | 326            |
| • Number of Dropouts .....                                           | 155            |
| • Disciplinary Actions .....                                         |                |
| • Corporal Punishments .....                                         | 2              |
| • In-School Suspensions .....                                        | 714            |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions .....                                    | 683            |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions .....                             | 6              |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96) .....                           | 76             |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96) .....                 | 79             |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch .....       | 3,280 (34.97%) |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                                    | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received ..... | 883 (569)               | 747 (495)               | 135 (73)                           |
| • Juvenile Detentions .....        | 171 (119)               | 138 (96)                | 33 (23)                            |
| • Transfers to Adult Court .....   | 28 (24)                 | 23 (20)                 | 5 (4)                              |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                              | Total       | White       | Nonwhite    |
|----------------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| • Number of Births .....                     | 871         | 783         | 88          |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population) .....    | 10.4        | 10.1        | 13.9        |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers .....              | 280 (32.1%) | 232 (29.6%) | 48 (54.5*%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20 .....          | 52 (6.0%)   | 41 (5.2%)   | 11 (12.5*%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20 .....          | 228 (26.2%) | 191 (24.4%) | 37 (42.0*%) |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20 .....            | 79 (9.1%)   | 65 (8.3%)   | 14 (15.9*%) |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17 .....            | 24.0        | 22.6        | 33.6        |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 18-19 .....            | 46.2        | 42.6        | 75.3        |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care ..... | 813 (93.6%) | 737 (94.1%) | 76 (88.4*%) |
| • Low Birthweight Births .....               | 64 (7.3%)   | 49 (6.3%)   | 15 (17.0*%) |
| • Number of Infant Deaths .....              | 5           | 0           | 5           |
| • Infant Mortality Rate .....                | 5.7         | 0.0         | 56.8*       |

\* unreliable ratios, denominator <100

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                         |     |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14 .....                                          | 1   |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19 .....                                  | 1   |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000) .....                 | 2.9 |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected .....                 | 138 |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage ..... | 230 |

#### 1996/97

|                                                                    |     |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment .....          | 460 |
| • No Indication .....                                              | 197 |
| • Some Indication .....                                            | 179 |
| • Verified .....                                                   | 83  |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed ..... | 567 |
| • Abuse .....                                                      | 172 |
| • Neglect .....                                                    | 262 |
| • Threatened Harm .....                                            | 114 |

## Nassau County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                                | Total  | White  | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------------|--------|--------|----------|
| • Total Population .....       | 51,097 | 45,936 | 5,161    |
| • Number of Children <18 ..... | 13,591 | 11,860 | 1,731    |
| • Age 0-4 .....                | 3,830  | 3,287  | 543      |
| • Age 5-9 .....                | 3,928  | 3,468  | 460      |
| • Age 10-14 .....              | 3,619  | 3,165  | 454      |
| • Age 15-17 .....              | 2,214  | 1,940  | 274      |
| • Age 18-19 .....              | 3,578  | 3,145  | 433      |
| • Age 20-24 .....              | 3,245  | 2,837  | 408      |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                      |                |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count]) .....         | 10,235         |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) ..... | 446            |
| • Graduation Rate .....                                              | 72.7           |
| • Number of Non-Promotions .....                                     | 496            |
| • Number of Dropouts .....                                           | 95             |
| • Disciplinary Actions .....                                         |                |
| • Corporal Punishments .....                                         | 62             |
| • In-School Suspensions .....                                        | 1,705          |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions .....                                    | 885            |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions .....                             | 0              |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96) .....                           | 79             |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96) .....                 | 84             |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch .....       | 3,207 (31.33%) |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                                    | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received ..... | 609 (397)               | 457 (307)               | 148 (88)                           |
| • Juvenile Detentions .....        | 132 (94)                | 97 (67)                 | 34 (26)                            |
| • Transfers to Adult Court .....   | 3 (3)                   | 1 (1)                   | 2 (2)                              |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                              | Total       | White       | Nonwhite    |
|----------------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| • Number of Births .....                     | 698         | 622         | 75          |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population) .....    | 13.7        | 13.5        | 14.7        |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers .....              | 193 (27.7%) | 148 (23.8%) | 45 (60.0*%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20 .....          | 67 (9.6%)   | 55 (8.8%)   | 12 (16.0*%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20 .....          | 126 (18.1%) | 93 (15.0%)  | 33 (44.0*%) |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20 .....            | 115 (16.5%) | 100 (16.1%) | 15 (20.0*%) |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17 .....            | 33.7        | 29.4        | 69.0        |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-19 .....            | 66.3        | 65.3        | 73.9        |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care ..... | 610 (89.1%) | 552 (90.0%) | 58 (80.6*%) |
| • Low Birthweight Births .....               | 68 (9.7%)   | 52 (8.4%)   | 16 (21.3*%) |
| • Number of Infant Deaths .....              | 7           | 6           | 1           |
| • Infant Mortality Rate .....                | 10.0        | 9.6         | 13.3*       |

\* unreliable ratios, denominator <100

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                        |      |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------|------|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14 .....                                         | 3    |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19 .....                                 | 4    |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000) .....                | 11.2 |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected .....                | 115  |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolution of Marriage ..... | 200  |

#### 1996/97

|                                                                    |     |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment .....          | 373 |
| • No Indication .....                                              | 228 |
| • Some Indication .....                                            | 107 |
| • Verified .....                                                   | 33  |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed ..... | 371 |
| • Abuse .....                                                      | 127 |
| • Neglect .....                                                    | 160 |
| • Threatened Harm .....                                            | 76  |

## Okaloosa County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                                | Total   | White   | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------------|---------|---------|----------|
| • Total Population .....       | 165,319 | 142,994 | 22,325   |
| • Number of Children <18 ..... | 43,786  | 35,864  | 7,922    |
| • Age 0-4 .....                | 12,736  | 10,349  | 2,387    |
| • Age 5-9 .....                | 12,904  | 10,574  | 2,330    |
| • Age 10-14 .....              | 12,008  | 9,922   | 2,086    |
| • Age 15-17 .....              | 6,138   | 5,019   | 1,119    |
| • Age 18-19 .....              | 10,395  | 8,504   | 1,891    |
| • Age 20-24 .....              | 11,932  | 10,048  | 1,884    |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                      |                |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count]) .....         | 30,067         |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) ..... | 1,904          |
| • Graduation Rate .....                                              | 82.7           |
| • Number of Non-Promotions .....                                     | 864            |
| • Number of Dropouts .....                                           | 300            |
| • Disciplinary Actions                                               |                |
| • Corporal Punishments .....                                         | 231            |
| • In-School Suspensions .....                                        | 2,500          |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions .....                                    | 2,689          |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions .....                             | 0              |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96) .....                           | 80             |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96) .....                 | 83             |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch .....       | 8,973 (29.84%) |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                                    | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received ..... | 1,698 (1,185)           | 1,300 (924)             | 366 (236)                          |
| • Juvenile Detentions .....        | 277 (197)               | 186 (133)               | 89 (62)                            |
| • Transfers to Adult Court .....   | 60 (45)                 | 33 (24)                 | 24 (19)                            |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                              | Total         | White         | Nonwhite    |
|----------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|-------------|
| • Number of Births .....                     | 2,363         | 1,970         | 393         |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population) .....    | 14.2          | 13.7          | 17.2        |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers .....              | 574 (24.3%)   | 399 (20.3%)   | 175 (44.5%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20 .....          | 170 (7.2%)    | 119 (6.0%)    | 51 (13.0%)  |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20 .....          | 404 (17.1%)   | 280 (14.2%)   | 124 (31.6%) |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20 .....            | 276 (11.7%)   | 216 (11.0%)   | 60 (15.3%)  |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17 .....            | 30.8          | 28.0          | 43.0        |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-19 .....            | 52.4          | 50.7          | 60.1        |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care ..... | 2,007 (85.2%) | 1,707 (87.0%) | 300 (76.5%) |
| • Low Birthweight Births .....               | 159 (6.7%)    | 122 (6.2%)    | 37 (9.4%)   |
| • Number of Infant Deaths .....              | 23            | 15            | 8           |
| • Infant Mortality Rate .....                | 9.7           | 7.6           | 20.4        |

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                         |     |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14 .....                                          | 4   |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19 .....                                  | 10  |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000) .....                 | 9.4 |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected .....                 | 553 |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage ..... | 936 |

#### 1996/97

|                                                                    |       |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment .....          | 1,516 |
| • No Indication .....                                              | 654   |
| • Some Indication .....                                            | 543   |
| • Verified .....                                                   | 288   |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed ..... | 2,093 |
| • Abuse .....                                                      | 581   |
| • Neglect .....                                                    | 748   |
| • Threatened Harm .....                                            | 734   |

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## Okeechobee County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                                | Total  | White  | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------------|--------|--------|----------|
| • Total Population .....       | 33,643 | 30,750 | 2,893    |
| • Number of Children <18 ..... | 9,094  | 8,055  | 1,039    |
| • Age 0-4 .....                | 2,870  | 2,531  | 339      |
| • Age 5-9 .....                | 2,369  | 2,094  | 275      |
| • Age 10-14 .....              | 2,467  | 2,233  | 234      |
| • Age 15-17 .....              | 1,388  | 1,197  | 191      |
| • Age 18-19 .....              | 2,214  | 1,949  | 265      |
| • Age 20-24 .....              | 2,079  | 1,756  | 323      |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                      |                |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count]) .....         | 6,596          |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) ..... | 152            |
| • Graduation Rate .....                                              | 69.9           |
| • Number of Non-Promotions .....                                     | 332            |
| • Number of Dropouts .....                                           | 127            |
| • Disciplinary Actions                                               |                |
| • Corporal Punishments .....                                         | 30             |
| • In-School Suspensions .....                                        | 269            |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions .....                                    | 831            |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions .....                             | 19             |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96) .....                           | 72             |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96) .....                 | 79             |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch .....       | 3,559 (53.96%) |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                                    | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received ..... | 478 (286)               | 334 (220)               | 141 (64)                           |
| • Juvenile Detentions .....        | 140 (100)               | 85 (68)                 | 55 (32)                            |
| • Transfers to Adult Court .....   | 24 (16)                 | 6 (5)                   | 18 (11)                            |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                              | Total       | White       | Nonwhite    |
|----------------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| • Number of Births .....                     | 435         | 393         | 42          |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population) .....    | 12.7        | 12.6        | 13.6        |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers .....              | 152 (34.9%) | 126 (32.1%) | 26 (61.9*%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20 .....          | 62 (14.3%)  | 49 (12.5%)  | 13 (30.1*%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20 .....          | 90 (20.7%)  | 77 (19.6%)  | 13 (31.0*%) |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20 .....            | 99 (22.8%)  | 84 (21.4%)  | 15 (35.7*%) |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17 .....            | 58.2        | 53.5        | 94.6*       |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-19 .....            | 89.3        | 84.7        | 127.1       |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care ..... | 339 (79.0%) | 311 (80.2%) | 28 (68.3*%) |
| • Low Birthweight Births .....               | 35 (8.0%)   | 30 (7.6%)   | 5 (11.9*%)  |
| • Number of Infant Deaths .....              | 3           | 2           | 1           |
| • Infant Mortality Rate .....                | 6.9         | 5.1         | 23.8*       |

\* unreliable ratios, denominator <100

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                         |      |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|------|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14 .....                                          | 2    |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19 .....                                  | 3    |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000) .....                 | 13.2 |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected .....                 | 83   |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage ..... | 147  |
| 1996/97                                                                 |      |
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment .....               | 373  |
| • No Indication .....                                                   | 220  |
| • Some Indication .....                                                 | 109  |
| • Verified .....                                                        | 44   |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed .....      | 363  |
| • Abuse .....                                                           | 102  |
| • Neglect .....                                                         | 145  |
| • Threatened Harm .....                                                 | 111  |

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## Orange County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                                | Total   | White   | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------------|---------|---------|----------|
| • Total Population .....       | 777,556 | 615,360 | 162,196  |
| • Number of Children <18 ..... | 192,498 | 136,566 | 55,932   |
| • Age 0-4 .....                | 62,541  | 44,298  | 18,243   |
| • Age 5-9 .....                | 53,782  | 38,572  | 15,210   |
| • Age 10-14 .....              | 50,039  | 35,383  | 14,656   |
| • Age 15-17 .....              | 26,136  | 18,313  | 7,823    |
| • Age 18-19 .....              | 52,242  | 38,431  | 13,811   |
| • Age 20-24 .....              | 63,794  | 50,425  | 13,369   |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                      |                 |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count]) .....         | 129,137         |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) ..... | 21,044          |
| • Graduation Rate .....                                              | 65.7            |
| • Number of Non-Promotions .....                                     | 9,991           |
| • Number of Dropouts .....                                           | 1,640           |
| • Disciplinary Actions                                               |                 |
| • Corporal Punishments .....                                         | 5               |
| • In-School Suspensions .....                                        | 13,261          |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions .....                                    | 14,153          |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions .....                             | 0               |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96) .....                           | 76              |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96) .....                 | 78              |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch .....       | 57,277 (44.35%) |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                              | Total         | White         | Nonwhite      |
|----------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| • Number of Births .....                     | 11,737        | 8,611         | 3,124         |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population) .....    | 14.9          | 14.0          | 18.6          |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers .....              | 4,284 (36.5%) | 2,395 (27.8%) | 1,889 (60.5%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20 .....          | 1,330 (11.3%) | 723 (8.4%)    | 607 (19.4%)   |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20 .....          | 2,953 (25.2%) | 1,672 (19.4%) | 1,281 (41.0%) |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20 .....            | 1,573 (13.4%) | 936 (10.9%)   | 637 (20.4%)   |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17 .....            | 43.9          | 33.4          | 69.1          |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 18-19 .....            | 59.4          | 49.1          | 86.2          |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care ..... | 9,934 (85.3%) | 7,600 (88.8%) | 2,334 (75.7%) |
| • Low Birthweight Births .....               | 1,080 (9.2%)  | 657 (7.6%)    | 422 (13.5%)   |
| • Number of Infant Deaths .....              | 87            | 50            | 37            |
| • Infant Mortality Rate .....                | 7.4           | 5.8           | 11.8          |

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                         |       |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14 .....                                          | 38    |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19 .....                                  | 31    |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000) .....                 | 5.8   |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected .....                 | 1,668 |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage ..... | 2,815 |

#### 1996/97

|                                                                    |       |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment .....          | 5,542 |
| • No Indication .....                                              | 2,388 |
| • Some Indication .....                                            | 1,879 |
| • Verified .....                                                   | 1,223 |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed ..... | 9,702 |
| • Abuse .....                                                      | 2,717 |
| • Neglect .....                                                    | 4,317 |
| • Threatened Harm .....                                            | 2,472 |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                                    | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received ..... | 11,314 (6,698)          | 5,613 (3,610)           | 5,605 (3,010)                      |
| • Juvenile Detentions .....        | 2,744 (1,743)           | 1,125 (761)             | 1,616 (979)                        |
| • Transfers to Adult Court .....   | 461 (346)               | 149 (107)               | 311 (238)                          |

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## Osceola County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                                | Total   | White   | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------------|---------|---------|----------|
| • Total Population .....       | 139,724 | 125,731 | 13,993   |
| • Number of Children <18 ..... | 35,382  | 30,583  | 4,799    |
| • Age 0-4 .....                | 10,343  | 9,002   | 1,341    |
| • Age 5-9 .....                | 10,346  | 8,987   | 1,359    |
| • Age 10-14 .....              | 9,597   | 8,242   | 1,355    |
| • Age 15-17 .....              | 5,096   | 4,352   | 744      |
| • Age 18-19 .....              | 8,968   | 7,786   | 1,182    |
| • Age 20-24 .....              | 9,310   | 8,314   | 996      |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                      |        |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|--------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count]) .....         | 27,374 |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) ..... | 2,683  |
| • Graduation Rate .....                                              | 73.3   |
| • Number of Non-Promotions .....                                     | 1,592  |
| • Number of Dropouts .....                                           | 498    |
| • Disciplinary Actions .....                                         |        |
| • Corporal Punishments .....                                         | 5      |
| • In-School Suspensions .....                                        | 683    |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions .....                                    | 3,267  |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions .....                             | 0      |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96) .....                           | 64     |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96) .....                 | 74     |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch .....       | 0 (0%) |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                                    | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received ..... | 2,154 (1,301)           | 1,640 (1,036)           | 501 (257)                          |
| • Juvenile Detentions .....        | 516 (358)               | 368 (269)               | 147 (88)                           |
| • Transfers to Adult Court .....   | 42 (28)                 | 25 (14)                 | 17 (14)                            |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                              | Total         | White         | Nonwhite    |
|----------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|-------------|
| • Number of Births .....                     | 2,041         | 1,801         | 238         |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population) .....    | 14.1          | 13.9          | 15.9        |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers .....              | 701 (34.3%)   | 596 (33.1%)   | 105 (44.1%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20 .....          | 231 (11.3%)   | 191 (10.6%)   | 40 (16.8%)  |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20 .....          | 470 (23.0%)   | 405 (22.5%)   | 65 (27.3%)  |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20 .....            | 316 (15.5%)   | 269 (14.9%)   | 47 (19.7%)  |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17 .....            | 38.3          | 39.4          | 32.4        |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-19 .....            | 68.7          | 68.2          | 72.1        |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care ..... | 1,652 (81.2%) | 1,475 (82.1%) | 176 (74.3%) |
| • Low Birthweight Births .....               | 147 (7.2%)    | 118 (6.6%)    | 29 (12.2%)  |
| • Number of Infant Deaths .....              | 7             | 6             | 1           |
| • Infant Mortality Rate .....                | 3.4           | 3.3           | 4.2         |

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                         |     |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14 .....                                          | 6   |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19 .....                                  | 6   |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000) .....                 | 6.4 |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected .....                 | 374 |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage ..... | 655 |

#### 1996/97

|                                                                    |       |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment .....          | 1,123 |
| • No Indication .....                                              | 564   |
| • Some Indication .....                                            | 366   |
| • Verified .....                                                   | 173   |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed ..... | 1,401 |
| • Abuse .....                                                      | 500   |
| • Neglect .....                                                    | 481   |
| • Threatened Harm .....                                            | 360   |

## Palm Beach County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                                | Total   | White   | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------------|---------|---------|----------|
| • Total Population .....       | 981,793 | 836,179 | 145,614  |
| • Number of Children <18 ..... | 204,156 | 151,373 | 52,783   |
| • Age 0-4 .....                | 65,079  | 46,461  | 18,618   |
| • Age 5-9 .....                | 59,000  | 43,998  | 15,002   |
| • Age 10-14 .....              | 52,920  | 40,355  | 12,565   |
| • Age 15-17 .....              | 27,157  | 20,559  | 6,598    |
| • Age 15-19 .....              | 46,357  | 35,590  | 10,767   |
| • Age 20-24 .....              | 47,564  | 37,604  | 9,960    |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                      |                 |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count]) .....         | 137,663         |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) ..... | 28,140          |
| • Graduation Rate .....                                              | 67.2            |
| • Number of Non-Promotions .....                                     | 8,742           |
| • Number of Dropouts .....                                           | 1,879           |
| • Disciplinary Actions                                               |                 |
| • Corporal Punishments .....                                         | 0               |
| • In-School Suspensions .....                                        | 9,746           |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions .....                                    | 12,027          |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions .....                             | 0               |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96) .....                           | 76              |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96) .....                 | 77              |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch .....       | 40,409 (29.35%) |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                                    | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received ..... | 9,791 (5,939)           | 4,811 (3,158)           | 4,886 (2,714)                      |
| • Juvenile Detentions .....        | 2,270 (1,438)           | 873 (613)               | 1,380 (811)                        |
| • Transfers to Adult Court .....   | 406 (315)               | 175 (141)               | 227 (170)                          |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                             | Total          | White         | Nonwhite      |
|---------------------------------------------|----------------|---------------|---------------|
| • Number of Births .....                    | 12,582         | 9,203         | 3,373         |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population) .....   | 12.7           | 10.9          | 22.6          |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers .....             | 4,220 (33.5%)  | 2,135 (23.2%) | 2,083 (61.8%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20 .....         | 1,168 (9.3%)   | 552 (6.0%)    | 616 (18.3%)   |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20 .....         | 3,050 (24.2%)  | 1,582 (17.2%) | 1,467 (43.5%) |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20 .....           | 1,372 (10.9%)  | 718 (7.8%)    | 654 (19.4%)   |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17 .....           | 37.4           | 23.5          | 80.3          |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-19 .....           | 57.0           | 39.3          | 114.7         |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care .... | 10,056 (80.6%) | 7,853 (85.9%) | 2,203 (66.2%) |
| • Low Birthweight Births .....              | 963 (7.7%)     | 604 (6.6%)    | 358 (10.6%)   |
| • Number of Infant Deaths .....             | 73             | 35            | 38            |
| • Infant Mortality Rate .....               | 5.8            | 3.8           | 11.3          |

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                        |       |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14 .....                                         | 64    |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19 .....                                 | 37    |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000) .....                | 7.7   |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected .....                | 1,898 |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage .... | 3,194 |

#### 1996/97

|                                                                    |       |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment .....          | 4,319 |
| • No Indication .....                                              | 2,168 |
| • Some Indication .....                                            | 1,553 |
| • Verified .....                                                   | 531   |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed ..... | 5,170 |
| • Abuse .....                                                      | 1,378 |
| • Neglect .....                                                    | 2,071 |
| • Threatened Harm .....                                            | 1,619 |

## Pasco County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                                | Total   | White   | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------------|---------|---------|----------|
| • Total Population .....       | 309,936 | 298,660 | 11,276   |
| • Number of Children <18 ..... | 55,332  | 51,640  | 3,692    |
| • Age 0-4 .....                | 15,719  | 14,615  | 1,104    |
| • Age 5-9 .....                | 15,776  | 14,864  | 912      |
| • Age 10-14 .....              | 15,532  | 14,485  | 1,047    |
| • Age 15-17 .....              | 8,305   | 7,676   | 629      |
| • Age 15-19 .....              | 14,020  | 13,055  | 965      |
| • Age 20-24 .....              | 14,097  | 13,193  | 904      |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                      |                |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count]) .....         | 43,461         |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) ..... | 2,304          |
| • Graduation Rate .....                                              | 72.2           |
| • Number of Non-Promotions .....                                     | 1,435          |
| • Number of Dropouts .....                                           | 578            |
| • Disciplinary Actions                                               |                |
| • Corporal Punishments .....                                         | 0              |
| • In-School Suspensions .....                                        | 7,339          |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions .....                                    | 3,400          |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions .....                             | 0              |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96) .....                           | 88             |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96) .....                 | 89             |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch .....       | 19,165 (44.1%) |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                                    | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received ..... | 3,060 (1,761)           | 2,757 (1,618)           | 283 (134)                          |
| • Juvenile Detentions .....        | 436 (279)               | 356 (236)               | 79 (42)                            |
| • Transfers to Adult Court .....   | 160 (121)               | 147 (108)               | 11 (11)                            |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                              | Total         | White         | Nonwhite    |
|----------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|-------------|
| • Number of Births .....                     | 3,214         | 3,048         | 165         |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population) .....    | 10.3          | 10.1          | 13.9        |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers .....              | 1,076 (33.5%) | 988 (32.4%)   | 88 (53.3%)  |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20 .....          | 343 (10.7%)   | 308 (10.1%)   | 35 (21.2%)  |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20 .....          | 733 (22.8%)   | 680 (22.3%)   | 53 (32.1%)  |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20 .....            | 453 (14.1%)   | 417 (13.7%)   | 36 (21.8%)  |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17 .....            | 38.3          | 37.6          | 47.0        |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-19 .....            | 64.0          | 63.4          | 71.0        |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care ..... | 2,862 (89.2%) | 2,717 (89.3%) | 145 (87.9%) |
| • Low Birthweight Births .....               | 244 (7.6%)    | 227 (7.4%)    | 17 (10.3%)  |
| • Number of Infant Deaths .....              | 33            | 30            | 3           |
| • Infant Mortality Rate .....                | 10.3          | 9.8           | 18.2        |

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                         |     |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14 .....                                          | 12  |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19 .....                                  | 13  |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000) .....                 | 9.1 |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected .....                 | 575 |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage ..... | 992 |

#### 1996/97

|                                                                    |       |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment .....          | 2,347 |
| • No Indication .....                                              | 1,359 |
| • Some Indication .....                                            | 839   |
| • Verified .....                                                   | 141   |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed ..... | 2,443 |
| • Abuse .....                                                      | 718   |
| • Neglect .....                                                    | 944   |
| • Threatened Harm .....                                            | 731   |



## Pinellas County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                                | Total   | White   | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------------|---------|---------|----------|
| • Total Population .....       | 881,383 | 794,380 | 87,003   |
| • Number of Children <18 ..... | 163,457 | 133,426 | 30,031   |
| • Age 0-4 .....                | 49,022  | 38,983  | 10,039   |
| • Age 5-9 .....                | 45,928  | 37,707  | 8,221    |
| • Age 10-14 .....              | 44,712  | 37,077  | 7,635    |
| • Age 15-17 .....              | 23,795  | 19,659  | 4,136    |
| • Age 15-19 .....              | 40,971  | 34,235  | 6,736    |
| • Age 20-24 .....              | 43,297  | 36,933  | 6,364    |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                      |                 |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count]) .....         | 107,077         |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) ..... | 18,713          |
| • Graduation Rate .....                                              | 78.4            |
| • Number of Non-Promotions .....                                     | 5,948           |
| • Number of Dropouts .....                                           | 1,348           |
| • Disciplinary Actions                                               |                 |
| • Corporal Punishments .....                                         | 0               |
| • In-School Suspensions .....                                        | 18,543          |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions .....                                    | 12,252          |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions .....                             | 310             |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96) .....                           | 78              |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96) .....                 | 82              |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch .....       | 40,481 (37.81%) |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                                    | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received ..... | 11,158 (6,580)          | 6,987 (4,243)           | 3,852 (2,161)                      |
| • Juvenile Detentions .....        | 2,111 (1,227)           | 1,175 (677)             | 872 (509)                          |
| • Transfers to Adult Court .....   | 349 (270)               | 149 (118)               | 189 (142)                          |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                              | Total         | White         | Nonwhite      |
|----------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| • Number of Births .....                     | 9,177         | 7,382         | 1,794         |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population) .....    | 10.5          | 9.4           | 20.5          |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers .....              | 3,289 (35.8%) | 2,063 (28.0%) | 1,225 (68.3%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20 .....          | 926 (10.1%)   | 547 (7.3%)    | 385 (21.5%)   |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20 .....          | 2,362 (25.7%) | 1,521 (20.6%) | 840 (46.8%)   |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20 .....            | 1,086 (11.8%) | 685 (9.3%)    | 401 (22.4%)   |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17 .....            | 34.6          | 24.0          | 84.4          |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-19 .....            | 52.0          | 39.7          | 113.9         |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care ..... | 7,670 (83.7%) | 6,388 (86.6%) | 1,281 (71.5%) |
| • Low Birthweight Births .....               | 745 (8.1%)    | 480 (6.5%)    | 265 (14.8%)   |
| • Number of Infant Deaths .....              | 82            | 53            | 29            |
| • Infant Mortality Rate .....                | 8.9           | 7.2           | 16.2          |

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                         |       |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14 .....                                          | 34    |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19 .....                                  | 23    |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000) .....                 | 5.5   |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected .....                 | 1,651 |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage ..... | 2,635 |

#### 1996/97

|                                                                    |       |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment .....          | 6,387 |
| • No Indication .....                                              | 2,891 |
| • Some Indication .....                                            | 2,689 |
| • Verified .....                                                   | 799   |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed ..... | 8,420 |
| • Abuse .....                                                      | 2,536 |
| • Neglect .....                                                    | 3,441 |
| • Threatened Harm .....                                            | 2,269 |

## Polk County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                                | Total   | White   | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------------|---------|---------|----------|
| • Total Population .....       | 452,707 | 387,097 | 65,610   |
| • Number of Children <18 ..... | 107,164 | 83,236  | 23,928   |
| • Age 0-4 .....                | 32,865  | 25,307  | 7,558    |
| • Age 5-9 .....                | 29,420  | 22,728  | 6,692    |
| • Age 10-14 .....              | 28,997  | 22,702  | 6,295    |
| • Age 15-17 .....              | 15,882  | 12,499  | 3,383    |
| • Age 15-19 .....              | 26,920  | 21,513  | 5,407    |
| • Age 20-24 .....              | 27,345  | 22,169  | 5,176    |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                      |                 |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count]) .....         | 74,819          |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) ..... | 6,909           |
| • Graduation Rate .....                                              | 69.0            |
| • Number of Non-Promotions .....                                     | 5,698           |
| • Number of Dropouts .....                                           | 1,326           |
| • Disciplinary Actions .....                                         |                 |
| • Corporal Punishments .....                                         | 291             |
| • In-School Suspensions .....                                        | 10,102          |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions .....                                    | 8,746           |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions .....                             | 45              |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96) .....                           | 75              |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96) .....                 | 80              |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch .....       | 39,639 (52.98%) |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                                    | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received ..... | 7,168 (4,322)           | 4,410 (2,790)           | 2,739 (1,520)                      |
| • Juvenile Detentions .....        | 1,315 (815)             | 746 (462)               | 569 (353)                          |
| • Transfers to Adult Court .....   | 126 (96)                | 65 (47)                 | 61 (49)                            |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                              | Total         | White         | Nonwhite    |
|----------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|-------------|
| • Number of Births .....                     | 6,193         | 4,838         | 1,354       |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population) .....    | 13.7          | 12.5          | 20.6        |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers .....              | 2,662 (43.0%) | 1,665 (34.4%) | 997 (73.6%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20 .....          | 925 (14.9%)   | 551 (11.4%)   | 374 (27.6%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20 .....          | 1,737 (28.0%) | 1,114 (23.0%) | 623 (46.0%) |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20 .....            | 1,201 (19.4%) | 816 (16.9%)   | 385 (28.4%) |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17 .....            | 61.4          | 50.9          | 100.2       |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-19 .....            | 87.5          | 75.7          | 133.8       |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care ..... | 4,680 (76.0%) | 3,823 (79.4%) | 857 (63.9%) |
| • Low Birthweight Births .....               | 488 (7.9%)    | 342 (7.1%)    | 146 (10.8%) |
| • Number of Infant Deaths .....              | 63            | 48            | 15          |
| • Infant Mortality Rate .....                | 10.2          | 9.9           | 11.1        |

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                         |       |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14 .....                                          | 28    |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19 .....                                  | 10    |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000) .....                 | 3.7   |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected .....                 | 1,233 |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage ..... | 2,097 |

#### 1996/97

|                                                                    |       |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment .....          | 4,338 |
| • No Indication .....                                              | 2,162 |
| • Some Indication .....                                            | 1,753 |
| • Verified .....                                                   | 382   |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed ..... | 5,351 |
| • Abuse .....                                                      | 1,545 |
| • Neglect .....                                                    | 2,182 |
| • Threatened Harm .....                                            | 1,485 |

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## Putnam County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                          | Total  | White  | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------|--------|--------|----------|
| • Total Population       | 70,287 | 57,587 | 12,700   |
| • Number of Children <18 | 17,416 | 12,694 | 4,722    |
| • Age 0-4                | 4,964  | 3,471  | 1,493    |
| • Age 5-9                | 4,718  | 3,480  | 1,238    |
| • Age 10-14              | 4,953  | 3,704  | 1,249    |
| • Age 15-17              | 2,781  | 2,039  | 742      |
| • Age 18-19              | 4,471  | 3,302  | 1,169    |
| • Age 20-24              | 4,011  | 3,073  | 938      |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                |                |
|----------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre K to 12 [Fall Count])         | 13,297         |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre K to 12 [February Count]) | 591            |
| • Graduation Rate                                              | 57.1           |
| • Number of Non-Promotions                                     | 460            |
| • Number of Dropouts                                           | 135            |
| • Disciplinary Actions                                         |                |
| • Corporal Punishments                                         | 302            |
| • In-School Suspensions                                        | 2,350          |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions                                    | 708            |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions                             | 0              |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96)                           | 62             |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96)                 | 70             |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch       | 8,226 (61.86%) |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                              | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received | 1,160 (708)             | 563 (385)               | 577 (313)                          |
| • Juvenile Detentions        | 233 (170)               | 112 (89)                | 119 (79)                           |
| • Transfers to Adult Court   | 25 (19)                 | 11 (8)                  | 14 (11)                            |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                        | Total       | White       | Nonwhite    |
|----------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| • Number of Births                     | 905         | 656         | 249         |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population)    | 12.9        | 11.4        | 19.7        |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers              | 383 (42.3%) | 197 (30.0%) | 186 (74.7%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20          | 145 (16.0%) | 63 (9.6%)   | 82 (32.9%)  |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20          | 238 (26.3%) | 134 (20.4%) | 104 (41.8%) |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20            | 211 (23.3%) | 126 (19.2%) | 85 (34.1%)  |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17            | 61.5        | 42.2        | 115.1       |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-19            | 93.4        | 76.2        | 142.6       |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care | 700 (78.0%) | 528 (80.9%) | 172 (70.2%) |
| • Low Birthweight Births               | 72 (8.0%)   | 38 (5.8%)   | 34 (13.7%)  |
| • Number of Infant Deaths              | 11          | 8           | 3           |
| • Infant Mortality Rate                | 12.2        | 12.2        | 12.0        |

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                   |     |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14                                          | 8   |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19                                  | 1   |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000)                 | 2.2 |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected                 | 206 |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage | 371 |

#### 1996/97

|                                                              |     |
|--------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment          | 543 |
| • No Indication                                              | 250 |
| • Some Indication                                            | 262 |
| • Verified                                                   | 31  |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed | 785 |
| • Abuse                                                      | 178 |
| • Neglect                                                    | 364 |
| • Threatened Harm                                            | 238 |

## St. Johns County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                                | Total   | White  | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------------|---------|--------|----------|
| • Total Population .....       | 101,729 | 92,574 | 9,155    |
| • Number of Children <18 ..... | 21,650  | 18,627 | 3,023    |
| • Age 0-4 .....                | 6,140   | 5,111  | 1,029    |
| • Age 5-9 .....                | 6,101   | 5,318  | 783      |
| • Age 10-14 .....              | 6,008   | 5,268  | 740      |
| • Age 15-17 .....              | 3,401   | 2,930  | 471      |
| • Age 18-19 .....              | 6,154   | 5,395  | 759      |
| • Age 20-24 .....              | 6,276   | 5,596  | 680      |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                      |                |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count]) .....         | 16,437         |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) ..... | 2,004          |
| • Graduation Rate .....                                              | 84.8           |
| • Number of Non-Promotions .....                                     | 367            |
| • Number of Dropouts .....                                           | 297            |
| • Disciplinary Actions .....                                         |                |
| • Corporal Punishments .....                                         | 28             |
| • In-School Suspensions .....                                        | 1,410          |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions .....                                    | 1,599          |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions .....                             | 0              |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96) .....                           | 77             |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96) .....                 | 81             |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch .....       | 4,427 (26.93%) |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                                    | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received ..... | 936 (601)               | 610 (416)               | 325 (184)                          |
| • Juvenile Detentions .....        | 150 (96)                | 78 (53)                 | 72 (43)                            |
| • Transfers to Adult Court .....   | 39 (26)                 | 10 (9)                  | 29 (17)                            |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                              | Total       | White       | Nonwhite    |
|----------------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| • Number of Births .....                     | 1,148       | 994         | 154         |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population) .....    | 11.1        | 10.6        | 16.7        |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers .....              | 322 (28.0%) | 221 (22.2%) | 101 (65.6%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20 .....          | 104 (9.1%)  | 71 (7.1%)   | 33 (21.4%)  |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20 .....          | 218 (19.0%) | 150 (15.1%) | 68 (44.2%)  |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20 .....            | 131 (11.4%) | 96 (9.7%)   | 35 (22.7%)  |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17 .....            | 27.7        | 22.4        | 60.6        |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-19 .....            | 41.7        | 35.0        | 91.7        |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care ..... | 950 (83.9%) | 842 (85.8%) | 108 (71.5%) |
| • Low Birthweight Births .....               | 99 (8.6%)   | 73 (7.3%)   | 26 (16.9%)  |
| • Number of Infant Deaths .....              | 17          | 11          | 6           |
| • Infant Mortality Rate .....                | 14.8        | 11.1        | 39.0        |

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                         |     |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14 .....                                          | 7   |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19 .....                                  | 6   |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000) .....                 | 9.6 |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected .....                 | 232 |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage ..... | 397 |

#### 1996/97

|                                                                    |       |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment .....          | 1,081 |
| • No Indication .....                                              | 576   |
| • Some Indication .....                                            | 374   |
| • Verified .....                                                   | 125   |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed ..... | 1,564 |
| • Abuse .....                                                      | 389   |
| • Neglect .....                                                    | 499   |
| • Threatened Harm .....                                            | 649   |

## St. Lucie County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                                | Total   | White   | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------------|---------|---------|----------|
| • Total Population .....       | 175,458 | 146,340 | 29,118   |
| • Number of Children <18 ..... | 39,095  | 28,197  | 10,898   |
| • Age 0-4 .....                | 10,992  | 7,427   | 3,565    |
| • Age 5-9 .....                | 11,510  | 8,597   | 2,913    |
| • Age 10-14 .....              | 10,816  | 7,964   | 2,852    |
| • Age 15-17 .....              | 5,777   | 4,209   | 1,568    |
| • Age 18-19 .....              | 9,550   | 7,117   | 2,433    |
| • Age 20-24 .....              | 8,934   | 6,779   | 2,155    |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                      |                 |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count]) .....         | 27,675          |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) ..... | 2,615           |
| • Graduation Rate .....                                              | 62.7            |
| • Number of Non Promotions .....                                     | 1,419           |
| • Number of Dropouts .....                                           | 368             |
| • Disciplinary Actions .....                                         |                 |
| • Corporal Punishments .....                                         | 0               |
| • In-School Suspensions .....                                        | 3,000           |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions .....                                    | 3,729           |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions .....                             | 0               |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96) .....                           | 76              |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96) .....                 | 79              |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch .....       | 14,715 (53.17%) |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                                    | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received ..... | 1,871 (1,269)           | 977 (701)               | 893 (567)                          |
| • Juvenile Detentions .....        | 348 (255)               | 160 (124)               | 188 (131)                          |
| • Transfers to Adult Court .....   | 52 (45)                 | 12 (11)                 | 40 (34)                            |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                              | Total         | White         | Nonwhite    |
|----------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|-------------|
| • Number of Births .....                     | 2,145         | 1,534         | 610         |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population) .....    | 12.0          | 10.3          | 20.7        |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers .....              | 844 (39.3%)   | 423 (27.6%)   | 420 (68.9%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20 .....          | 257 (12.0%)   | 105 (6.8%)    | 152 (24.9%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20 .....          | 587 (27.4%)   | 318 (20.7%)   | 268 (43.9%) |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20 .....            | 306 (14.3%)   | 147 (9.6%)    | 159 (26.1%) |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17 .....            | 39.5          | 28.1          | 70.9        |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-19 .....            | 62.1          | 40.5          | 125.5       |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care ..... | 1,706 (79.6%) | 1,308 (85.3%) | 397 (65.1%) |
| • Low Birthweight Births .....               | 182 (8.5%)    | 113 (7.4%)    | 69 (11.3%)  |
| • Number of Infant Deaths .....              | 21            | 8             | 13          |
| • Infant Mortality Rate .....                | 9.8           | 5.2           | 21.3        |

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                         |     |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14 .....                                          | 11  |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19 .....                                  | 4   |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000) .....                 | 4.1 |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected .....                 | 397 |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage ..... | 647 |

#### 1996/97

|                                                                    |       |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment .....          | 1,461 |
| • No Indication .....                                              | 689   |
| • Some Indication .....                                            | 551   |
| • Verified .....                                                   | 218   |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed ..... | 1,915 |
| • Abuse .....                                                      | 628   |
| • Neglect .....                                                    | 675   |
| • Threatened Harm .....                                            | 568   |



## Santa Rosa County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                                | Total  | White  | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------------|--------|--------|----------|
| • Total Population .....       | 98,491 | 91,476 | 7,015    |
| • Number of Children <18 ..... | 25,587 | 23,409 | 2,178    |
| • Age 0-4 .....                | 7,046  | 6,405  | 641      |
| • Age 5-9 .....                | 7,477  | 6,866  | 611      |
| • Age 10-14 .....              | 7,091  | 6,525  | 566      |
| • Age 15-17 .....              | 3,973  | 3,613  | 360      |
| • Age 15-19 .....              | 6,495  | 5,948  | 547      |
| • Age 20-24 .....              | 6,224  | 5,603  | 621      |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                      |                |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count]) .....         | 20,663         |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) ..... | 785            |
| • Graduation Rate .....                                              | 76.4           |
| • Number of Non-Promotions .....                                     | 361            |
| • Number of Dropouts .....                                           | 214            |
| • Disciplinary Actions .....                                         |                |
| • Corporal Punishments .....                                         | 645            |
| • In-School Suspensions .....                                        | 1,284          |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions .....                                    | 1,164          |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions .....                             | 87             |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96) .....                           | 77             |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96) .....                 | 80             |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch .....       | 6,402 (30.98%) |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                                    | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received ..... | 836 (582)               | 727 (524)               | 94 (46)                            |
| • Juvenile Detentions .....        | 153 (120)               | 133 (106)               | 18 (12)                            |
| • Transfers to Adult Court .....   | 79 (59)                 | 72 (53)                 | 5 (5)                              |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                              | Total         | White         | Nonwhite    |
|----------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|-------------|
| • Number of Births .....                     | 1,401         | 1,278         | 123         |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population) .....    | 14.0          | 13.7          | 16.5        |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers .....              | 349 (24.9%)   | 298 (23.3%)   | 51 (41.5%)  |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20 .....          | 138 (9.9%)    | 117 (9.2%)    | 21 (17.1%)  |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20 .....          | 211 (15.1%)   | 181 (14.2%)   | 30 (24.4%)  |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20 .....            | 200 (14.3%)   | 178 (13.9%)   | 22 (17.9%)  |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17 .....            | 41.2          | 39.2          | 60.8        |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-19 .....            | 61.9          | 60.0          | 81.5        |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care ..... | 1,239 (89.2%) | 1,139 (89.8%) | 100 (83.3%) |
| • Low Birthweight Births .....               | 103 (7.4%)    | 91 (7.1%)     | 12 (9.8%)   |
| • Number of Infant Deaths .....              | 6             | 6             | 0           |
| • Infant Mortality Rate .....                | 4.3           | 4.7           | 0.0         |

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                         |     |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14 .....                                          | 9   |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19 .....                                  | 4   |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000) .....                 | 6.0 |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected .....                 | 259 |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage ..... | 434 |

#### 1996/97

|                                                                    |       |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment .....          | 1,901 |
| • No Indication .....                                              | 1,198 |
| • Some Indication .....                                            | 544   |
| • Verified .....                                                   | 135   |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed ..... | 1,659 |
| • Abuse .....                                                      | 542   |
| • Neglect .....                                                    | 574   |
| • Threatened Harm .....                                            | 499   |

## Sarasota County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                                | Total   | White   | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------------|---------|---------|----------|
| • Total Population .....       | 305,848 | 288,436 | 17,412   |
| • Number of Children <18 ..... | 48,577  | 42,452  | 6,125    |
| • Age 0-4 .....                | 14,036  | 11,927  | 2,109    |
| • Age 5-9 .....                | 14,008  | 12,330  | 1,678    |
| • Age 10-14 .....              | 13,347  | 11,883  | 1,464    |
| • Age 15-17 .....              | 7,186   | 6,312   | 874      |
| • Age 18-19 .....              | 12,109  | 10,680  | 1,429    |
| • Age 20-24 .....              | 12,167  | 10,872  | 1,295    |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                      |                 |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count]) .....         | 31,912          |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) ..... | 5,276           |
| • Graduation Rate .....                                              | 77.3            |
| • Number of Non-Promotions .....                                     | 1,797           |
| • Number of Dropouts .....                                           | 365             |
| • Disciplinary Actions                                               |                 |
| • Corporal Punishments .....                                         | 0               |
| • In-School Suspensions .....                                        | 2,118           |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions .....                                    | 2,399           |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions .....                             | 4               |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96) .....                           | 84              |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96) .....                 | 84              |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch .....       | 10,685 (33.48%) |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                                    | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received ..... | 2,661 (1,545)           | 1,838 (1,127)           | 797 (402)                          |
| • Juvenile Detentions .....        | 356 (239)               | 186 (135)               | 167 (101)                          |
| • Transfers to Adult Court .....   | 90 (54)                 | 53 (29)                 | 37 (25)                            |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                              | Total         | White         | Nonwhite    |
|----------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|-------------|
| • Number of Births .....                     | 2,518         | 2,265         | 253         |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population) .....    | 8.2           | 7.8           | 14.2        |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers .....              | 741 (29.4%)   | 568 (25.1%)   | 173 (68.4%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20 .....          | 215 (8.5%)    | 141 (6.2%)    | 74 (29.2%)  |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20 .....          | 526 (20.9%)   | 427 (18.9%)   | 99 (39.1%)  |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20 .....            | 257 (10.2%)   | 183 (8.1%)    | 74 (29.2%)  |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17 .....            | 22.8          | 16.1          | 71.3        |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-19 .....            | 40.7          | 33.7          | 92.3        |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care ..... | 2,146 (85.4%) | 1,954 (86.5%) | 192 (75.9%) |
| • Low Birthweight Births .....               | 165 (6.6%)    | 134 (5.9%)    | 31 (12.3%)  |
| • Number of Infant Deaths .....              | 16            | 12            | 4           |
| • Infant Mortality Rate .....                | 6.4           | 5.3           | 15.8        |

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                         |       |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14 .....                                          | 8     |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19 .....                                  | 8     |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000) .....                 | 6.5   |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected .....                 | 658   |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage ..... | 1,110 |
| 1996/97                                                                 |       |
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment .....               | 660   |
| • No Indication .....                                                   | 331   |
| • Some Indication .....                                                 | 206   |
| • Verified .....                                                        | 122   |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed .....      | 944   |
| • Abuse .....                                                           | 262   |
| • Neglect .....                                                         | 372   |
| • Threatened Harm .....                                                 | 293   |

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## Seminole County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                                | Total   | White   | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------------|---------|---------|----------|
| • Total Population .....       | 329,031 | 290,230 | 38,801   |
| • Number of Children <18 ..... | 81,334  | 68,319  | 13,015   |
| • Age 0-4 .....                | 22,007  | 17,925  | 4,082    |
| • Age 5-9 .....                | 23,106  | 19,610  | 3,496    |
| • Age 10-14 .....              | 23,369  | 19,910  | 3,459    |
| • Age 15-17 .....              | 12,852  | 10,874  | 1,978    |
| • Age 18-19 .....              | 21,265  | 18,108  | 3,157    |
| • Age 20-24 .....              | 20,750  | 17,930  | 2,820    |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                      |                 |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count]) .....         | 55,993          |
| • Non Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) ..... | 9,019           |
| • Graduation Rate .....                                              | 81.4            |
| • Number of Non-Promotions .....                                     | 4,211           |
| • Number of Dropouts .....                                           | 392             |
| • Disciplinary Actions .....                                         |                 |
| • Corporal Punishments .....                                         | 0               |
| • In-School Suspensions .....                                        | 5,460           |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions .....                                    | 3,848           |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions .....                             | 221             |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96) .....                           | 83              |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96) .....                 | 82              |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch .....       | 14,173 (25.31%) |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                                    | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received ..... | 4,076 (2,391)           | 2,904 (1,757)           | 1,160 (623)                        |
| • Juvenile Detentions .....        | 832 (540)               | 558 (364)               | 273 (175)                          |
| • Transfers to Adult Court .....   | 116 (86)                | 73 (49)                 | 43 (37)                            |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                              | Total         | White         | Nonwhite    |
|----------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|-------------|
| • Number of Births .....                     | 4,367         | 3,708         | 659         |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population) .....    | 13.1          | 12.6          | 16.3        |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers .....              | 1,167 (26.7%) | 789 (21.3%)   | 378 (57.4%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20 .....          | 364 (8.3%)    | 214 (5.8%)    | 150 (22.8%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20 .....          | 803 (18.4%)   | 575 (15.5%)   | 228 (34.6%) |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20 .....            | 442 (10.1%)   | 288 (7.8%)    | 154 (23.4%) |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17 .....            | 24.8          | 17.4          | 63.9        |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 18-19 .....            | 40.7          | 31.7          | 90.7        |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care ..... | 3,907 (89.7%) | 3,384 (91.5%) | 523 (79.7%) |
| • Low Birthweight Births .....               | 314 (7.2%)    | 245 (6.6%)    | 69 (10.5%)  |
| • Number of Infant Deaths .....              | 17            | 12            | 5           |
| • Infant Mortality Rate .....                | 3.9           | 3.2           | 7.6         |

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                         |       |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14 .....                                          | 10    |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19 .....                                  | 10    |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000) .....                 | 4.6   |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected .....                 | 773   |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage ..... | 1,345 |

#### 1996/97

|                                                                    |       |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment .....          | 1,201 |
| • No Indication .....                                              | 723   |
| • Some Indication .....                                            | 396   |
| • Verified .....                                                   | 78    |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed ..... | 1,022 |
| • Abuse .....                                                      | 354   |
| • Neglect .....                                                    | 393   |
| • Threatened Harm .....                                            | 266   |

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## Sumter County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                                | Total  | White  | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------------|--------|--------|----------|
| • Total Population .....       | 40,593 | 32,375 | 8,218    |
| • Number of Children <18 ..... | 8,659  | 6,008  | 2,651    |
| • Age 0-4 .....                | 2,624  | 1,743  | 881      |
| • Age 5-9 .....                | 2,230  | 1,569  | 661      |
| • Age 10-14 .....              | 2,363  | 1,677  | 686      |
| • Age 15-17 .....              | 1,442  | 1,019  | 423      |
| • Age 18-19 .....              | 2,499  | 1,757  | 742      |
| • Age 20-24 .....              | 2,541  | 1,724  | 817      |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                      |                |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count]) .....         | 5,921          |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) ..... | 32             |
| • Graduation Rate .....                                              | 76.8           |
| • Number of Non-Promotions .....                                     | 366            |
| • Number of Dropouts .....                                           | 104            |
| • Disciplinary Actions                                               |                |
| • Corporal Punishments .....                                         | 5              |
| • In-School Suspensions .....                                        | 1,495          |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions .....                                    | 748            |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions .....                             | 0              |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96) .....                           | 68             |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96) .....                 | 74             |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch .....       | 3,722 (62.86%) |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                                    | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received ..... | 456 (298)               | 277 (184)               | 179 (114)                          |
| • Juvenile Detentions .....        | 118 (84)                | 58 (44)                 | 60 (40)                            |
| • Transfers to Adult Court .....   | 12 (8)                  | 6 (4)                   | 6 (4)                              |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                              | Total       | White       | Nonwhite    |
|----------------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| • Number of Births .....                     | 380         | 304         | 76          |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population) .....    | 9.3         | 9.5         | 8.8         |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers .....              | 167 (43.9%) | 108 (35.5%) | 59 (77.6*%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20 .....          | 68 (17.9%)  | 38 (12.5%)  | 30 (39.5*%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20 .....          | 99 (26.1%)  | 70 (23.0%)  | 29 (38.2*%) |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20 .....            | 84 (22.1%)  | 54 (17.8%)  | 30 (39.5*%) |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17 .....            | 38.5        | 25.4        | 73.0        |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-19 .....            | 72.2        | 62.4        | 99.7        |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care ..... | 318 (83.7%) | 258 (84.9%) | 60 (78.9*%) |
| • Low Birthweight Births .....               | 21 (5.5%)   | 13 (4.3%)   | 8 (10.5*%)  |
| • Number of Infant Deaths .....              | 5           | 5           | 0           |
| • Infant Mortality Rate .....                | 13.2        | 16.4        | 0.0*        |

\* unreliable ratios, denominator <100

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                         |     |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14 .....                                          | 4   |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19 .....                                  | 1   |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000) .....                 | 3.9 |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected .....                 | 103 |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage ..... | 171 |
| 1996/97                                                                 |     |
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment .....               | 199 |
| • No Indication .....                                                   | 80  |
| • Some Indication .....                                                 | 91  |
| • Verified .....                                                        | 28  |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed .....      | 317 |
| • Abuse .....                                                           | 106 |
| • Neglect .....                                                         | 136 |
| • Threatened Harm .....                                                 | 73  |

## Suwannee County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                          | Total  | White  | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------|--------|--------|----------|
| • Total Population       | 31,424 | 27,082 | 4,342    |
| • Number of Children <18 | 7,681  | 6,212  | 1,469    |
| • Age 0-4                | 1,959  | 1,526  | 433      |
| • Age 5-9                | 1,994  | 1,620  | 374      |
| • Age 10-14              | 2,266  | 1,857  | 409      |
| • Age 15-17              | 1,462  | 1,209  | 253      |
| • Age 15-19              | 2,307  | 1,910  | 397      |
| • Age 20-24              | 2,126  | 1,740  | 386      |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                |                |
|----------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count])         | 5,851          |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) | 444            |
| • Graduation Rate                                              | 70.1           |
| • Number of Non-Promotions                                     | 177            |
| • Number of Dropouts                                           | 94             |
| • Disciplinary Actions                                         |                |
| • Corporal Punishments                                         | 205            |
| • In-School Suspensions                                        | 1,011          |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions                                    | 757            |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions                             | 0              |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96)                           | 75             |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96)                 | 74             |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch       | 2,628 (44.92%) |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                              | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received | 325 (209)               | 220 (146)               | 104 (62)                           |
| • Juvenile Detentions        | 56 (42)                 | 37 (29)                 | 19 (13)                            |
| • Transfers to Adult Court   | 24 (15)                 | 16 (9)                  | 8 (6)                              |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                        | Total       | White       | Nonwhite    |
|----------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| • Number of Births                     | 380         | 314         | 66          |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population)    | 12.1        | 11.5        | 15.4        |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers              | 128 (33.7%) | 88 (28.0%)  | 40 (60.6*%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20          | 48 (12.6%)  | 33 (10.5%)  | 15 (22.7*%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20          | 80 (21.1%)  | 55 (17.5%)  | 25 (37.9*%) |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20            | 76 (20.0%)  | 60 (19.1%)  | 16 (24.2*%) |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17            | 40.9        | 36.5        | 63.6        |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-19            | 68.3        | 64.6        | 87.0        |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care | 290 (77.1%) | 250 (79.6%) | 40 (64.5*%) |
| • Low Birthweight Births               | 42 (11.1%)  | 28 (8.9%)   | 14 (21.2*%) |
| • Number of Infant Deaths              | 6           | 4           | 2           |
| • Infant Mortality Rate                | 15.8        | 12.7        | 30.3*       |

\* unreliable ratios, denominator <100

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                   |      |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------|------|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14                                          | 2    |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19                                  | 5    |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000)                 | 21.8 |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected                 | 89   |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage | 148  |

#### 1996/97

|                                                              |     |
|--------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment          | 246 |
| • No Indication                                              | 142 |
| • Some Indication                                            | 67  |
| • Verified                                                   | 37  |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed | 296 |
| • Abuse                                                      | 89  |
| • Neglect                                                    | 117 |
| • Threatened Harm                                            | 73  |



## Taylor County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                                | Total  | White  | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------------|--------|--------|----------|
| • Total Population .....       | 19,022 | 14,983 | 4,039    |
| • Number of Children <18 ..... | 5,117  | 3,755  | 1,362    |
| • Age 0-4 .....                | 1,492  | 1,062  | 430      |
| • Age 5-9 .....                | 1,431  | 1,068  | 363      |
| • Age 10-14 .....              | 1,380  | 1,045  | 335      |
| • Age 15-17 .....              | 814    | 580    | 234      |
| • Age 18-19 .....              | 1,252  | 910    | 342      |
| • Age 20-24 .....              | 1,397  | 1,006  | 391      |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                      |                |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count]) .....         | 3,840          |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) ..... | 2              |
| • Graduation Rate .....                                              | 75.5           |
| • Number of Non-Promotions .....                                     | 198            |
| • Number of Dropouts .....                                           | 53             |
| • Disciplinary Actions                                               |                |
| • Corporal Punishments .....                                         | 135            |
| • In-School Suspensions .....                                        | 1,186          |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions .....                                    | 466            |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions .....                             | 7              |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96) .....                           | 70             |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96) .....                 | 80             |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch .....       | 1,795 (46.74%) |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                                    | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received ..... | 255 (179)               | 129 (105)               | 126 (74)                           |
| • Juvenile Detentions .....        | 30 (28)                 | 15 (13)                 | 15 (15)                            |
| • Transfers to Adult Court .....   | 14 (8)                  | 2 (2)                   | 12 (6)                             |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                              | Total       | White       | Nonwhite    |
|----------------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| • Number of Births .....                     | 228         | 176         | 52          |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population) .....    | 12.1        | 11.9        | 12.8        |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers .....              | 78 (34.2%)  | 39 (22.2%)  | 39 (75.0*%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20 .....          | 24 (10.5%)  | 15 (8.5%)   | 9 (17.3*%)  |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20 .....          | 54 (23.7%)  | 24 (13.6%)  | 30 (57.7*%) |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20 .....            | 38 (16.7%)  | 28 (15.9%)  | 10 (19.2*%) |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17 .....            | 39.9        | 44.1        | 28.3        |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-19 .....            | 62.1        | 60.7        | 66.2        |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care ..... | 199 (87.3%) | 162 (92.0%) | 37 (71.2*%) |
| • Low Birthweight Births .....               | 21 (9.2%)   | 9 (5.1%)    | 12 (23.1*%) |
| • Number of Infant Deaths .....              | 2           | 2           | 0           |
| • Infant Mortality Rate .....                | 8.8         | 11.4        | 0.0*        |

\* unreliable ratios, denominator <100

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                         |     |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14 .....                                          | 1   |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19 .....                                  | 0   |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000) .....                 | 0.0 |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected .....                 | 71  |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage ..... | 117 |

#### 1996/97

|                                                                    |     |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment .....          | 192 |
| • No Indication .....                                              | 63  |
| • Some Indication .....                                            | 110 |
| • Verified .....                                                   | 19  |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed ..... | 361 |
| • Abuse .....                                                      | 52  |
| • Neglect .....                                                    | 196 |
| • Threatened Harm .....                                            | 109 |

## Union County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                                | Total  | White | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------------|--------|-------|----------|
| • Total Population .....       | 13,023 | 9,279 | 3,744    |
| • Number of Children <18 ..... | 2,646  | 2,007 | 639      |
| • Age 0-4 .....                | 706    | 539   | 167      |
| • Age 5-9 .....                | 695    | 536   | 159      |
| • Age 10-14 .....              | 782    | 593   | 189      |
| • Age 15-17 .....              | 463    | 339   | 124      |
| • Age 18-19 .....              | 797    | 553   | 244      |
| • Age 20-24 .....              | 1,158  | 705   | 453      |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                              | Total      | White      | Nonwhite    |
|----------------------------------------------|------------|------------|-------------|
| • Number of Births .....                     | 120        | 106        | 14          |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population) .....    | 9.3        | 11.5       | 3.8         |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers .....              | 38 (31.7%) | 27 (25.5%) | 11 (78.6*%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20 .....          | 16 (13.3%) | 14 (13.2%) | 2 (14.3*%)  |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20 .....          | 22 (18.3%) | 13 (12.3%) | 9 (64.3*%)  |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20 .....            | 22 (18.3%) | 19 (17.9%) | 3 (21.4*%)  |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17 .....            | 48.1       | 64.5       | 0.0*        |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-19 .....            | 72.6       | 82.3       | 41.7*       |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care ..... | 97 (81.5%) | 89 (84.8%) | 8 (57.1*%)  |
| • Low Birthweight Births .....               | 11 (9.2%)  | 11 (10.4%) | 0 (0.0*%)   |
| • Number of Infant Deaths .....              | 1          | 1          | 0           |
| • Infant Mortality Rate .....                | 8.3        | 9.4        | 0.0*        |

\* unreliable ratios, denominator <100

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                      |              |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count]) .....         | 2,317        |
| • Non Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) ..... | 3            |
| • Graduation Rate .....                                              | 73.5         |
| • Number of Non-Promotions .....                                     | 126          |
| • Number of Dropouts .....                                           | 18           |
| • Disciplinary Actions .....                                         |              |
| • Corporal Punishments .....                                         | 316          |
| • In School Suspensions .....                                        | 349          |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions .....                                    | 98           |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions .....                             | 17           |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96) .....                           | 63           |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96) .....                 | 75           |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch .....       | 978 (42.21%) |

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                         |     |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14 .....                                          | 2   |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19 .....                                  | 0   |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000) .....                 | 0.0 |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected .....                 | 9   |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage ..... | 12  |

#### 1996/97

|                                                                    |     |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment .....          | 100 |
| • No Indication .....                                              | 45  |
| • Some Indication .....                                            | 37  |
| • Verified .....                                                   | 18  |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed ..... | 180 |
| • Abuse .....                                                      | 47  |
| • Neglect .....                                                    | 76  |
| • Threatened Harm .....                                            | 53  |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                                    | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received ..... | 83 (64)                 | 47 (37)                 | 35 (26)                            |
| • Juvenile Detentions .....        | 23 (19)                 | 13 (11)                 | 9 (7)                              |
| • Transfers to Adult Court .....   | 0 (0)                   | 0 (0)                   | 0 (0)                              |

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## Volusia County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                                | Total   | White   | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------------|---------|---------|----------|
| • Total Population .....       | 407,199 | 363,454 | 43,745   |
| • Number of Children <18 ..... | 81,485  | 68,165  | 13,320   |
| • Age 0-4 .....                | 23,686  | 19,240  | 4,446    |
| • Age 5-9 .....                | 23,636  | 19,958  | 3,678    |
| • Age 10-14 .....              | 22,358  | 18,974  | 3,384    |
| • Age 15-17 .....              | 11,805  | 9,993   | 1,812    |
| • Age 15-19 .....              | 22,416  | 18,598  | 3,818    |
| • Age 20-24 .....              | 24,797  | 20,245  | 4,552    |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                      |                |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count]) .....         | 58,004         |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) ..... | 6,628          |
| • Graduation Rate .....                                              | 79.8           |
| • Number of Non-Promotions .....                                     | 2,392          |
| • Number of Dropouts .....                                           | 452            |
| • Disciplinary Actions                                               |                |
| • Corporal Punishments .....                                         | 0              |
| • In-School Suspensions .....                                        | 7,425          |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions .....                                    | 5,862          |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions .....                             | 0              |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96) .....                           | 79             |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96) .....                 | 83             |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch .....       | 23,026 (39.7%) |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                                    | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received ..... | 7,082 (3,776)           | 4,934 (2,729)           | 2,105 (1,026)                      |
| • Juvenile Detentions .....        | 1,048 (548)             | 643 (336)               | 398 (208)                          |
| • Transfers to Adult Court .....   | 118 (87)                | 69 (47)                 | 48 (39)                            |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                              | Total         | White         | Nonwhite    |
|----------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|-------------|
| • Number of Births .....                     | 4,202         | 3,515         | 687         |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population) .....    | 10.2          | 9.6           | 15.4        |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers .....              | 1,496 (35.6%) | 1,032 (29.4%) | 464 (67.5%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20 .....          | 451 (10.7%)   | 293 (8.3%)    | 158 (23.0%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20 .....          | 1,045 (24.9%) | 739 (21.0%)   | 306 (44.5%) |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20 .....            | 556 (13.2%)   | 389 (11.1%)   | 167 (24.3%) |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17 .....            | 35.1          | 26.6          | 85.9        |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-19 .....            | 48.9          | 41.6          | 84.1        |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care ..... | 3,675 (87.6%) | 3,133 (89.3%) | 542 (78.9%) |
| • Low Birthweight Births .....               | 305 (7.3%)    | 232 (6.6%)    | 73 (10.6%)  |
| • Number of Infant Deaths .....              | 28            | 22            | 6           |
| • Infant Mortality Rate .....                | 6.7           | 6.3           | 8.7         |

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                         |       |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14 .....                                          | 19    |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19 .....                                  | 11    |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000) .....                 | 4.8   |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected .....                 | 948   |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage ..... | 1,534 |

#### 1996/97

|                                                                    |       |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment .....          | 3,048 |
| • No Indication .....                                              | 1,662 |
| • Some Indication .....                                            | 1,013 |
| • Verified .....                                                   | 321   |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed ..... | 3,288 |
| • Abuse .....                                                      | 1,041 |
| • Neglect .....                                                    | 1,298 |
| • Threatened Harm .....                                            | 835   |

## Wakulla County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                                | Total  | White  | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------------|--------|--------|----------|
| • Total Population .....       | 18,022 | 15,494 | 2,528    |
| • Number of Children <18 ..... | 4,743  | 3,889  | 854      |
| • Age 0-4 .....                | 1,207  | 950    | 257      |
| • Age 5-9 .....                | 1,300  | 1,083  | 217      |
| • Age 10-14 .....              | 1,368  | 1,142  | 226      |
| • Age 15-17 .....              | 868    | 714    | 154      |
| • Age 18-19 .....              | 1,342  | 1,106  | 236      |
| • Age 20-24 .....              | 1,249  | 1,024  | 225      |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                      |                |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count]) .....         | 4,444          |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) ..... | 58             |
| • Graduation Rate .....                                              | 75.5           |
| • Number of Non-Promotions .....                                     | 217            |
| • Number of Dropouts .....                                           | 40             |
| • Disciplinary Actions                                               |                |
| • Corporal Punishments .....                                         | 438            |
| • In-School Suspensions .....                                        | 921            |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions .....                                    | 360            |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions .....                             | 14             |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96) .....                           | 81             |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96) .....                 | 85             |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch .....       | 1,606 (36.14%) |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                                    | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received ..... | 362 (253)               | 313 (215)               | 48 (37)                            |
| • Juvenile Detentions .....        | 42 (29)                 | 35 (23)                 | 7 (6)                              |
| • Transfers to Adult Court .....   | 14 (11)                 | 9 (6)                   | 5 (5)                              |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                              | Total       | White       | Nonwhite    |
|----------------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| • Number of Births .....                     | 224         | 194         | 30          |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population) .....    | 12.2        | 12.4        | 11.2        |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers .....              | 71 (31.7%)  | 54 (27.8%)  | 17 (56.7*%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20 .....          | 21 (9.4%)   | 17 (8.8%)   | 4 (13.3*%)  |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20 .....          | 50 (22.3%)  | 37 (19.1%)  | 13 (43.3*%) |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20 .....            | 28 (12.5%)  | 23 (11.9%)  | 5 (16.7*%)  |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17 .....            | 26.3        | 20.3        | 54.8*       |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-19 .....            | 43.5        | 43.3        | 44.6        |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care ..... | 203 (91.0%) | 176 (91.2%) | 27 (90.0*%) |
| • Low Birthweight Births .....               | 22 (9.8%)   | 18 (9.3%)   | 4 (13.3*%)  |
| • Number of Infant Deaths .....              | 1           | 1           | 0           |
| • Infant Mortality Rate .....                | 4.5         | 5.2         | 0.0*        |

\* unreliable ratios, denominator <100

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                         |      |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|------|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14 .....                                          | 3    |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19 .....                                  | 3    |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000) .....                 | 22.1 |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected .....                 | 19   |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage ..... | 29   |

#### 1996/97

|                                                                    |     |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment .....          | 207 |
| • No Indication .....                                              | 81  |
| • Some Indication .....                                            | 80  |
| • Verified .....                                                   | 42  |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed ..... | 330 |
| • Abuse .....                                                      | 98  |
| • Neglect .....                                                    | 121 |
| • Threatened Harm .....                                            | 110 |

## Walton County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                          | Total  | White  | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------|--------|--------|----------|
| • Total Population       | 34,328 | 31,112 | 3,216    |
| • Number of Children <18 | 7,368  | 6,553  | 815      |
| • Age 0-4                | 1,972  | 1,729  | 243      |
| • Age 5-9                | 2,013  | 1,813  | 200      |
| • Age 10-14              | 2,055  | 1,843  | 212      |
| • Age 15-17              | 1,328  | 1,168  | 160      |
| • Age 15-19              | 2,123  | 1,892  | 231      |
| • Age 20-24              | 2,180  | 1,903  | 277      |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                |                |
|----------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count])         | 5,459          |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) | 163            |
| • Graduation Rate                                              | 76.4           |
| • Number of Non-Promotions                                     | 302            |
| • Number of Dropouts                                           | 61             |
| • Disciplinary Actions                                         |                |
| • Corporal Punishments                                         | 585            |
| • In-School Suspensions                                        | 527            |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions                                    | 320            |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions                             | 11             |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96)                           | 72             |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96)                 | 84             |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch       | 2,775 (50.83%) |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                              | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received | 251 (165)               | 197 (134)               | 52 (29)                            |
| • Juvenile Detentions        | 46 (36)                 | 38 (28)                 | 8 (8)                              |
| • Transfers to Adult Court   | 7 (6)                   | 4 (4)                   | 3 (2)                              |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                        | Total       | White       | Nonwhite    |
|----------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| • Number of Births                     | 376         | 334         | 42          |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population)    | 10.8        | 10.6        | 13.1        |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers              | 117 (31.1%) | 90 (26.9%)  | 27 (64.3*%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20          | 41 (10.9%)  | 29 (8.7%)   | 12 (28.6*%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20          | 76 (20.2%)  | 61 (18.3%)  | 15 (35.7*%) |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20            | 74 (19.7%)  | 60 (18.0%)  | 14 (33.3*%) |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17            | 46.4        | 41.1        | 90.9*       |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-19            | 73.3        | 65.9        | 140.0       |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care | 316 (84.3%) | 291 (87.4%) | 25 (59.6*%) |
| • Low Birthweight Births               | 18 (4.8%)   | 14 (4.2%)   | 4 (9.5*%)   |
| • Number of Infant Deaths              | 0           | 0           | 0           |
| • Infant Mortality Rate                | 0.0         | 0.0         | 0.0*        |

\* unreliable ratios, denominator <100

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                   |     |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14                                          | 0   |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19                                  | 1   |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000)                 | 4.7 |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected                 | 92  |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage | 138 |

#### 1996/97

|                                                              |     |
|--------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment          | 396 |
| • No Indication                                              | 226 |
| • Some Indication                                            | 143 |
| • Verified                                                   | 25  |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed | 481 |
| • Abuse                                                      | 104 |
| • Neglect                                                    | 192 |
| • Threatened Harm                                            | 171 |



## Washington County's Children At A Glance

### Population 1996

|                                | Total  | White  | Nonwhite |
|--------------------------------|--------|--------|----------|
| • Total Population .....       | 19,751 | 16,097 | 3,654    |
| • Number of Children <18 ..... | 4,778  | 3,687  | 1,091    |
| • Age 0-4 .....                | 1,251  | 945    | 306      |
| • Age 5-9 .....                | 1,327  | 1,041  | 286      |
| • Age 10-14 .....              | 1,309  | 1,017  | 292      |
| • Age 15-17 .....              | 891    | 684    | 207      |
| • Age 18-19 .....              | 1,375  | 1,052  | 323      |
| • Age 20-24 .....              | 1,477  | 1,104  | 373      |

### Education 1996/97

|                                                                      |                |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|
| • Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [Fall Count]) .....         | 3,249          |
| • Non-Public Student Enrollment (Pre-K to 12 [February Count]) ..... | 6              |
| • Graduation Rate .....                                              | 84.5           |
| • Number of Non-Promotions .....                                     | 90             |
| • Number of Dropouts .....                                           | 20             |
| • Disciplinary Actions                                               |                |
| • Corporal Punishments .....                                         | 482            |
| • In-School Suspensions .....                                        | 499            |
| • Out-of-School Suspensions .....                                    | 179            |
| • Alternative Disciplinary Actions .....                             | 2              |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Math (Oct/96) .....                           | 76             |
| • Percent Passing HSCT Communications (Oct/96) .....                 | 75             |
| • Students Eligible to Participate in Free/Reduced Lunch .....       | 1,689 (51.99%) |

### Youth and the Law 1996/97

|                                    | Total<br>Cases (Youths) | White<br>Cases (Youths) | African American<br>Cases (Youths) |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| • Delinquency Cases Received ..... | 114 (86)                | 89 (71)                 | 24 (14)                            |
| • Juvenile Detentions .....        | 32 (24)                 | 21 (17)                 | 11 (7)                             |
| • Transfers to Adult Court .....   | 3 (2)                   | 0 (0)                   | 3 (2)                              |

### Birth Indicators 1996

|                                              | Total       | White       | Nonwhite    |
|----------------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| • Number of Births .....                     | 251         | 188         | 63          |
| • Birth Rate (per 1,000 population) .....    | 12.7        | 11.7        | 16.8        |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers .....              | 97 (38.6%)  | 54 (28.7%)  | 43 (68.3*%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers <20 .....          | 29 (11.6%)  | 18 (9.6%)   | 11 (17.5*%) |
| • Births to Unwed Mothers ≥20 .....          | 68 (27.1%)  | 36 (19.1%)  | 32 (50.8*%) |
| • Births to Mothers Age <20 .....            | 44 (17.5%)  | 31 (16.5%)  | 13 (20.6*%) |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-17 .....            | 34.4        | 38.6        | 20.2*       |
| • Teen Birth Rate Age 15-19 .....            | 65.6        | 60.1        | 83.9        |
| • Births Receiving Early Prenatal Care ..... | 224 (89.6%) | 168 (89.8%) | 56 (88.9*%) |
| • Low Birthweight Births .....               | 16 (6.4%)   | 13 (6.9%)   | 3 (4.8*%)   |
| • Number of Infant Deaths .....              | 0           | 0           | 0           |
| • Infant Mortality Rate .....                | 0.0         | 0.0         | 0.0*        |

\* unreliable ratios, denominator <100

### Child Well-Being

#### 1996

|                                                                         |     |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Child Deaths Ages 1-14 .....                                          | 1   |
| • Teen Violent Deaths Ages 15-19 .....                                  | 0   |
| • Teen Violent Death Rate Ages 15-19 (per 10,000) .....                 | 0.0 |
| • Dissolutions of Marriage with Children Affected .....                 | 31  |
| • Minimum Number of Children Affected by Dissolutions of Marriage ..... | 47  |

#### 1996/97

|                                                                    |     |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| • Closure Status of Initial Reports of Maltreatment .....          | 245 |
| • No Indication .....                                              | 124 |
| • Some Indication .....                                            | 64  |
| • Verified .....                                                   | 51  |
| • Verified & Some Indication Maltreatments in Reports Closed ..... | 336 |
| • Abuse .....                                                      | 68  |
| • Neglect .....                                                    | 150 |
| • Threatened Harm .....                                            | 96  |

## Appendices

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### Appendix A. Population, 1996

| Location     | Population<br>All Ages | Children<br>Age Under 18 | Children<br>Age 0 - 4 | Children<br>Age 5 - 9 | Children<br>Age 10 - 14 | Children<br>Age 15 - 17 | Children<br>Age 18 - 19 |
|--------------|------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| Florida      | 14,411,563             | 3,262,183                | 992,955               | 924,561               | 876,366                 | 468,301                 | 826,854                 |
| Alachua      | 202,140                | 44,629                   | 13,975                | 12,610                | 11,694                  | 6,350                   | 19,012                  |
| Baker        | 20,709                 | 5,830                    | 1,550                 | 1,556                 | 1,650                   | 1,074                   | 1,695                   |
| Bay          | 142,159                | 36,445                   | 10,733                | 10,466                | 9,795                   | 5,451                   | 9,289                   |
| Bradford     | 24,983                 | 5,728                    | 1,769                 | 1,489                 | 1,502                   | 968                     | 1,600                   |
| Brevard      | 450,164                | 99,940                   | 27,898                | 28,889                | 28,695                  | 14,458                  | 25,163                  |
| Broward      | 1,392,252              | 302,696                  | 93,552                | 87,756                | 80,898                  | 40,490                  | 68,167                  |
| Calhoun      | 12,504                 | 2,858                    | 810                   | 720                   | 813                     | 515                     | 872                     |
| Charlotte    | 129,468                | 20,553                   | 5,397                 | 5,820                 | 5,925                   | 3,411                   | 5,691                   |
| Citrus       | 107,889                | 18,051                   | 4,567                 | 5,053                 | 5,413                   | 3,018                   | 4,735                   |
| Clay         | 125,431                | 35,052                   | 8,775                 | 9,687                 | 10,737                  | 5,853                   | 9,313                   |
| Collier      | 193,036                | 39,662                   | 12,761                | 11,265                | 10,318                  | 5,318                   | 8,984                   |
| Columbia     | 52,565                 | 14,249                   | 3,805                 | 3,866                 | 4,239                   | 2,339                   | 3,853                   |
| Dade         | 2,043,316              | 520,259                  | 163,263               | 146,920               | 136,450                 | 73,626                  | 126,493                 |
| DeSoto       | 26,716                 | 6,229                    | 2,046                 | 1,674                 | 1,530                   | 979                     | 1,589                   |
| Dixie        | 12,602                 | 2,932                    | 876                   | 766                   | 824                     | 466                     | 803                     |
| Duval        | 728,437                | 195,505                  | 65,765                | 54,976                | 49,611                  | 25,153                  | 45,038                  |
| Escambia     | 286,301                | 72,419                   | 22,780                | 19,828                | 19,154                  | 10,657                  | 20,379                  |
| Flagler      | 39,052                 | 6,940                    | 1,643                 | 2,061                 | 2,090                   | 1,146                   | 1,865                   |
| Franklin     | 10,378                 | 2,148                    | 627                   | 564                   | 592                     | 365                     | 583                     |
| Gadsden      | 46,322                 | 13,291                   | 4,273                 | 3,494                 | 3,510                   | 2,014                   | 3,286                   |
| Gilchrist    | 12,150                 | 2,947                    | 822                   | 749                   | 811                     | 565                     | 1,110                   |
| Glades       | 9,413                  | 2,120                    | 528                   | 597                   | 599                     | 396                     | 609                     |
| Gulf         | 13,545                 | 3,014                    | 848                   | 801                   | 797                     | 568                     | 890                     |
| Hamilton     | 13,431                 | 3,415                    | 940                   | 847                   | 933                     | 695                     | 1,126                   |
| Hardee       | 22,519                 | 6,178                    | 1,955                 | 1,644                 | 1,606                   | 973                     | 1,611                   |
| Hendry       | 30,157                 | 9,797                    | 3,181                 | 2,708                 | 2,508                   | 1,400                   | 2,270                   |
| Hernando     | 119,931                | 21,597                   | 5,025                 | 6,210                 | 6,910                   | 3,452                   | 5,605                   |
| Highlands    | 77,996                 | 14,391                   | 4,460                 | 3,964                 | 3,721                   | 2,246                   | 3,588                   |
| Hillsborough | 910,855                | 225,556                  | 70,919                | 64,283                | 59,100                  | 31,254                  | 55,574                  |
| Holmes       | 17,412                 | 3,901                    | 952                   | 1,073                 | 1,146                   | 730                     | 1,201                   |
| Indian River | 102,211                | 19,848                   | 5,524                 | 5,867                 | 5,505                   | 2,952                   | 4,925                   |
| Jackson      | 48,629                 | 10,855                   | 3,139                 | 2,755                 | 2,933                   | 2,028                   | 3,578                   |
| Jefferson    | 13,713                 | 3,470                    | 1,020                 | 895                   | 971                     | 584                     | 969                     |

### Appendix A. Population, 1996

| Location   | Population<br>All Ages | Children<br>Age Under 18 | Children<br>Age 0 - 4 | Children<br>Age 5 - 9 | Children<br>Age 10 - 14 | Children<br>Age 15 - 17 | Children<br>Age 15 - 19 |
|------------|------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| Lafayette  | 7,012                  | 1,564                    | 420                   | 399                   | 464                     | 281                     | 464                     |
| Lake       | 182,309                | 35,943                   | 10,866                | 10,106                | 9,825                   | 5,146                   | 8,453                   |
| Lee        | 383,706                | 76,431                   | 22,431                | 22,256                | 21,013                  | 10,731                  | 18,138                  |
| Leon       | 221,621                | 49,015                   | 14,112                | 13,443                | 13,238                  | 8,222                   | 22,718                  |
| Levy       | 30,690                 | 6,997                    | 1,878                 | 2,029                 | 1,960                   | 1,130                   | 1,854                   |
| Liberty    | 7,439                  | 1,631                    | 469                   | 416                   | 457                     | 289                     | 471                     |
| Madison    | 18,745                 | 5,027                    | 1,453                 | 1,458                 | 1,341                   | 775                     | 1,298                   |
| Manatee    | 236,778                | 46,437                   | 14,389                | 13,242                | 12,332                  | 6,474                   | 11,050                  |
| Marion     | 229,260                | 49,767                   | 14,445                | 14,133                | 13,565                  | 7,624                   | 12,604                  |
| Martin     | 114,464                | 20,843                   | 6,328                 | 5,750                 | 5,702                   | 3,063                   | 5,152                   |
| Monroe     | 83,789                 | 15,427                   | 4,899                 | 4,477                 | 4,133                   | 1,918                   | 3,366                   |
| Nassau     | 51,097                 | 13,591                   | 3,830                 | 3,928                 | 3,619                   | 2,214                   | 3,578                   |
| Okaloosa   | 165,319                | 43,786                   | 12,736                | 12,904                | 12,008                  | 6,138                   | 10,395                  |
| Okeechobee | 33,643                 | 9,094                    | 2,870                 | 2,369                 | 2,467                   | 1,388                   | 2,214                   |
| Orange     | 777,556                | 192,498                  | 62,541                | 53,782                | 50,039                  | 26,136                  | 52,242                  |
| Osceola    | 139,724                | 35,382                   | 10,343                | 10,346                | 9,597                   | 5,096                   | 8,968                   |
| Palm Beach | 981,793                | 204,156                  | 65,079                | 59,000                | 52,920                  | 27,157                  | 46,357                  |
| Pasco      | 309,936                | 55,332                   | 15,719                | 15,776                | 15,532                  | 8,305                   | 14,020                  |
| Pinellas   | 881,383                | 163,457                  | 49,022                | 45,928                | 44,712                  | 23,795                  | 40,971                  |
| Polk       | 452,707                | 107,164                  | 32,865                | 29,420                | 28,997                  | 15,882                  | 26,920                  |
| Putnam     | 70,287                 | 17,416                   | 4,964                 | 4,718                 | 4,953                   | 2,781                   | 4,471                   |
| St. Johns  | 101,729                | 21,650                   | 6,140                 | 6,101                 | 6,008                   | 3,401                   | 6,154                   |
| St. Lucie  | 175,458                | 39,095                   | 10,992                | 11,510                | 10,816                  | 5,777                   | 9,550                   |
| Santa Rosa | 98,491                 | 25,587                   | 7,046                 | 7,477                 | 7,091                   | 3,973                   | 6,495                   |
| Sarasota   | 305,848                | 48,577                   | 14,036                | 14,008                | 13,347                  | 7,186                   | 12,109                  |
| Seminole   | 329,031                | 81,334                   | 22,007                | 23,106                | 23,369                  | 12,852                  | 21,265                  |
| Sumter     | 40,593                 | 8,659                    | 2,624                 | 2,230                 | 2,363                   | 1,442                   | 2,499                   |
| Suwannee   | 31,424                 | 7,681                    | 1,959                 | 1,994                 | 2,266                   | 1,462                   | 2,307                   |
| Taylor     | 19,022                 | 5,117                    | 1,492                 | 1,431                 | 1,380                   | 814                     | 1,252                   |
| Union      | 13,023                 | 2,646                    | 706                   | 695                   | 782                     | 463                     | 797                     |
| Volusia    | 407,199                | 81,485                   | 23,686                | 23,636                | 22,358                  | 11,805                  | 22,416                  |
| Wakulla    | 18,022                 | 4,743                    | 1,207                 | 1,300                 | 1,368                   | 868                     | 1,342                   |
| Walton     | 34,328                 | 7,368                    | 1,972                 | 2,013                 | 2,055                   | 1,328                   | 2,123                   |
| Washington | 19,751                 | 4,778                    | 1,251                 | 1,327                 | 1,309                   | 891                     | 1,375                   |

## Appendix B. Child Population by Race, 1996

| Location     | White<br>Age Under 18 | Nonwhite<br>Age Under 18 | White<br>Age 0 - 4 | Nonwhite<br>Age 0 - 4 | White<br>Age 5 - 9 | Nonwhite<br>Age 5 - 9 |
|--------------|-----------------------|--------------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|
| Florida      | 2,445,793             | 816,390                  | 726,777            | 266,178               | 697,923            | 226,638               |
| Alachua      | 30,745                | 13,884                   | 9,846              | 4,129                 | 8,584              | 4,026                 |
| Baker        | 4,987                 | 843                      | 1,291              | 259                   | 1,337              | 219                   |
| Bay          | 29,137                | 7,308                    | 8,474              | 2,259                 | 8,416              | 2,050                 |
| Bradford     | 4,466                 | 1,262                    | 1,366              | 403                   | 1,161              | 328                   |
| Brevard      | 84,282                | 15,658                   | 23,279             | 4,619                 | 24,345             | 4,544                 |
| Broward      | 203,279               | 99,417                   | 61,750             | 31,802                | 59,385             | 28,371                |
| Calhoun      | 2,288                 | 570                      | 657                | 153                   | 559                | 161                   |
| Charlotte    | 18,645                | 1,908                    | 4,917              | 480                   | 5,275              | 545                   |
| Citrus       | 16,880                | 1,171                    | 4,242              | 325                   | 4,750              | 303                   |
| Clay         | 30,905                | 4,147                    | 7,549              | 1,226                 | 8,449              | 1,238                 |
| Collier      | 35,479                | 4,183                    | 11,249             | 1,512                 | 10,131             | 1,134                 |
| Columbia     | 10,907                | 3,342                    | 2,785              | 1,020                 | 2,971              | 895                   |
| Dade         | 346,296               | 173,963                  | 105,808            | 57,455                | 98,657             | 48,263                |
| DeSoto       | 4,733                 | 1,496                    | 1,560              | 486                   | 1,271              | 403                   |
| Dixie        | 2,629                 | 303                      | 768                | 108                   | 678                | 88                    |
| Duval        | 124,775               | 70,730                   | 42,186             | 23,579                | 35,300             | 19,676                |
| Escambia     | 47,915                | 24,504                   | 14,822             | 7,958                 | 13,052             | 6,776                 |
| Flagler      | 5,888                 | 1,052                    | 1,292              | 351                   | 1,813              | 248                   |
| Franklin     | 1,624                 | 524                      | 474                | 153                   | 407                | 157                   |
| Gadsden      | 4,216                 | 9,075                    | 1,334              | 2,939                 | 1,261              | 2,233                 |
| Gilchrist    | 2,600                 | 347                      | 727                | 95                    | 675                | 74                    |
| Glades       | 1,447                 | 673                      | 332                | 196                   | 432                | 165                   |
| Gulf         | 2,280                 | 734                      | 626                | 222                   | 600                | 201                   |
| Hamilton     | 1,794                 | 1,621                    | 452                | 488                   | 428                | 419                   |
| Hardee       | 5,512                 | 666                      | 1,715              | 240                   | 1,494              | 150                   |
| Hendry       | 7,316                 | 2,481                    | 2,282              | 899                   | 2,101              | 607                   |
| Hernando     | 19,661                | 1,936                    | 4,481              | 544                   | 5,695              | 515                   |
| Highlands    | 10,852                | 3,539                    | 3,241              | 1,219                 | 3,041              | 923                   |
| Hillsborough | 173,032               | 52,524                   | 53,266             | 17,653                | 49,564             | 14,719                |
| Holmes       | 3,597                 | 304                      | 879                | 73                    | 1,002              | 71                    |
| Indian River | 16,494                | 3,354                    | 4,418              | 1,106                 | 4,960              | 907                   |
| Jackson      | 7,402                 | 3,453                    | 2,059              | 1,080                 | 1,933              | 822                   |
| Jefferson    | 1,690                 | 1,780                    | 423                | 597                   | 466                | 429                   |



### Appendix B. Child Population by Race, 1996

| Location   | White<br>Age Under 18 | Nonwhite<br>Age Under 18 | White<br>Age 0 - 4 | Nonwhite<br>Age 0 - 4 | White<br>Age 5 - 9 | Nonwhite<br>Age 5 - 9 |
|------------|-----------------------|--------------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|
| Lafayette  | 1,252                 | 312                      | 320                | 100                   | 319                | 80                    |
| Lake       | 29,277                | 6,666                    | 8,576              | 2,290                 | 8,286              | 1,820                 |
| Lee        | 64,683                | 11,748                   | 18,779             | 3,652                 | 18,894             | 3,362                 |
| Leon       | 32,425                | 16,590                   | 9,324              | 4,788                 | 8,754              | 4,689                 |
| Levy       | 5,607                 | 1,390                    | 1,451              | 427                   | 1,657              | 372                   |
| Liberty    | 1,340                 | 291                      | 369                | 100                   | 351                | 65                    |
| Madison    | 2,439                 | 2,588                    | 643                | 810                   | 732                | 726                   |
| Manatee    | 38,567                | 7,870                    | 11,898             | 2,491                 | 10,942             | 2,300                 |
| Marion     | 38,815                | 10,952                   | 10,801             | 3,644                 | 11,053             | 3,080                 |
| Martin     | 17,556                | 3,287                    | 4,994              | 1,334                 | 4,960              | 790                   |
| Monroe     | 13,502                | 1,925                    | 4,239              | 660                   | 3,901              | 576                   |
| Nassau     | 11,860                | 1,731                    | 3,287              | 543                   | 3,468              | 460                   |
| Okaloosa   | 35,864                | 7,922                    | 10,349             | 2,387                 | 10,574             | 2,330                 |
| Okcechobee | 8,055                 | 1,039                    | 2,531              | 339                   | 2,094              | 275                   |
| Orange     | 136,566               | 55,932                   | 44,298             | 18,243                | 38,572             | 15,210                |
| Osceola    | 30,583                | 4,799                    | 9,002              | 1,341                 | 8,987              | 1,359                 |
| Palm Beach | 151,373               | 52,783                   | 46,461             | 18,618                | 43,998             | 15,002                |
| Pasco      | 51,640                | 3,692                    | 14,615             | 1,104                 | 14,864             | 912                   |
| Pinellas   | 133,426               | 30,031                   | 38,983             | 10,039                | 37,707             | 8,221                 |
| Polk       | 83,236                | 23,928                   | 25,307             | 7,558                 | 22,728             | 6,692                 |
| Putnam     | 12,694                | 4,722                    | 3,471              | 1,493                 | 3,480              | 1,238                 |
| St. Johns  | 18,627                | 3,023                    | 5,111              | 1,029                 | 5,318              | 783                   |
| St. Lucie  | 28,197                | 10,898                   | 7,427              | 3,565                 | 8,597              | 2,913                 |
| Santa Rosa | 23,409                | 2,178                    | 6,405              | 641                   | 6,866              | 611                   |
| Sarasota   | 42,452                | 6,125                    | 11,927             | 2,109                 | 12,330             | 1,678                 |
| Seminole   | 68,319                | 13,015                   | 17,925             | 4,082                 | 19,610             | 3,496                 |
| Sumter     | 6,008                 | 2,651                    | 1,743              | 881                   | 1,569              | 661                   |
| Suwannee   | 6,212                 | 1,469                    | 1,526              | 433                   | 1,620              | 374                   |
| Taylor     | 3,755                 | 1,362                    | 1,062              | 430                   | 1,068              | 363                   |
| Union      | 2,007                 | 639                      | 539                | 167                   | 536                | 159                   |
| Volusia    | 68,165                | 13,320                   | 19,240             | 4,446                 | 19,958             | 3,678                 |
| Wakulla    | 3,889                 | 854                      | 950                | 257                   | 1,083              | 217                   |
| Walton     | 6,553                 | 815                      | 1,729              | 243                   | 1,813              | 200                   |
| Washington | 3,687                 | 1,091                    | 945                | 306                   | 1,041              | 286                   |

## Appendix B. Child Population by Race, 1996

| Location     | White<br>Age 10 - 14 | Nonwhite<br>Age 10 - 14 | White<br>Age 15 - 17 | Nonwhite<br>Age 15 - 17 | White<br>Age 15 - 19 | Nonwhite<br>Age 15 - 19 |
|--------------|----------------------|-------------------------|----------------------|-------------------------|----------------------|-------------------------|
| Florida      | 666,067              | 210,299                 | 355,026              | 113,275                 | 633,861              | 192,993                 |
| Alachua      | 8,151                | 3,543                   | 4,164                | 2,186                   | 14,377               | 4,635                   |
| Baker        | 1,434                | 216                     | 925                  | 149                     | 1,442                | 253                     |
| Bay          | 7,888                | 1,907                   | 4,359                | 1,092                   | 7,544                | 1,745                   |
| Bradford     | 1,202                | 300                     | 737                  | 231                     | 1,205                | 395                     |
| Brevard      | 24,441               | 4,254                   | 12,217               | 2,241                   | 21,440               | 3,723                   |
| Broward      | 54,482               | 26,416                  | 27,662               | 12,828                  | 47,241               | 20,926                  |
| Calhoun      | 654                  | 159                     | 418                  | 97                      | 705                  | 167                     |
| Charlotte    | 5,420                | 505                     | 3,033                | 378                     | 5,109                | 582                     |
| Citrus       | 5,066                | 347                     | 2,822                | 196                     | 4,436                | 299                     |
| Clay         | 9,639                | 1,098                   | 5,268                | 585                     | 8,437                | 876                     |
| Collier      | 9,242                | 1,076                   | 4,857                | 461                     | 8,220                | 764                     |
| Columbia     | 3,345                | 894                     | 1,806                | 533                     | 2,994                | 859                     |
| Dade         | 91,561               | 44,889                  | 50,270               | 23,356                  | 87,299               | 39,194                  |
| DeSoto       | 1,203                | 327                     | 699                  | 280                     | 1,153                | 436                     |
| Dixie        | 762                  | 62                      | 421                  | 45                      | 694                  | 109                     |
| Duval        | 31,332               | 18,279                  | 15,957               | 9,196                   | 29,314               | 15,724                  |
| Escambia     | 12,855               | 6,299                   | 7,186                | 3,471                   | 14,504               | 5,875                   |
| Flagler      | 1,815                | 275                     | 968                  | 178                     | 1,577                | 288                     |
| Franklin     | 458                  | 134                     | 285                  | 80                      | 447                  | 136                     |
| Gadsden      | 1,077                | 2,433                   | 544                  | 1,470                   | 922                  | 2,364                   |
| Gilchrist    | 735                  | 76                      | 463                  | 102                     | 853                  | 257                     |
| Glades       | 415                  | 184                     | 268                  | 128                     | 415                  | 194                     |
| Gulf         | 615                  | 182                     | 439                  | 129                     | 686                  | 204                     |
| Hamilton     | 526                  | 407                     | 388                  | 307                     | 614                  | 512                     |
| Hardee       | 1,455                | 151                     | 848                  | 125                     | 1,424                | 187                     |
| Hendry       | 1,950                | 558                     | 983                  | 417                     | 1,610                | 660                     |
| Hernando     | 6,337                | 573                     | 3,148                | 304                     | 5,121                | 484                     |
| Highlands    | 2,869                | 852                     | 1,701                | 545                     | 2,754                | 834                     |
| Hillsborough | 45,965               | 13,135                  | 24,237               | 7,017                   | 43,763               | 11,811                  |
| Holmes       | 1,062                | 84                      | 654                  | 76                      | 1,057                | 144                     |
| Indian River | 4,686                | 819                     | 2,430                | 522                     | 4,065                | 860                     |
| Jackson      | 2,059                | 874                     | 1,351                | 677                     | 2,399                | 1,179                   |
| Jefferson    | 515                  | 456                     | 286                  | 298                     | 474                  | 495                     |

## Appendix B. Child Population by Race, 1996

| Location   | White<br>Age 10 - 14 | Nonwhite<br>Age 10 - 14 | White<br>Age 15 - 17 | Nonwhite<br>Age 15 - 17 | White<br>Age 15 - 19 | Nonwhite<br>Age 15 - 19 |
|------------|----------------------|-------------------------|----------------------|-------------------------|----------------------|-------------------------|
| Lafayette  | 380                  | 84                      | 233                  | 48                      | 367                  | 97                      |
| Lake       | 8,135                | 1,690                   | 4,280                | 866                     | 6,986                | 1,467                   |
| Lee        | 17,926               | 3,087                   | 9,084                | 1,647                   | 15,516               | 2,622                   |
| Leon       | 9,050                | 4,188                   | 5,297                | 2,925                   | 14,697               | 8,021                   |
| Levy       | 1,564                | 396                     | 935                  | 195                     | 1,519                | 335                     |
| Liberty    | 376                  | 81                      | 244                  | 45                      | 383                  | 88                      |
| Madison    | 684                  | 657                     | 380                  | 395                     | 642                  | 656                     |
| Manatee    | 10,287               | 2,045                   | 5,440                | 1,034                   | 9,370                | 1,680                   |
| Marion     | 10,809               | 2,756                   | 6,152                | 1,472                   | 10,188               | 2,416                   |
| Martin     | 5,018                | 684                     | 2,584                | 479                     | 4,364                | 788                     |
| Monroe     | 3,656                | 477                     | 1,706                | 212                     | 2,998                | 368                     |
| Nassau     | 3,165                | 454                     | 1,940                | 274                     | 3,145                | 433                     |
| Okaloosa   | 9,922                | 2,086                   | 5,019                | 1,119                   | 8,504                | 1,891                   |
| Okeechobee | 2,233                | 234                     | 1,197                | 191                     | 1,949                | 265                     |
| Orange     | 35,383               | 14,656                  | 18,313               | 7,823                   | 38,431               | 13,811                  |
| Osceola    | 8,242                | 1,355                   | 4,352                | 744                     | 7,786                | 1,182                   |
| Palm Beach | 40,355               | 12,565                  | 20,559               | 6,598                   | 35,590               | 10,767                  |
| Pasco      | 14,485               | 1,047                   | 7,676                | 629                     | 13,055               | 965                     |
| Pinellas   | 37,077               | 7,635                   | 19,659               | 4,136                   | 34,235               | 6,736                   |
| Polk       | 22,702               | 6,295                   | 12,499               | 3,383                   | 21,513               | 5,407                   |
| Putnam     | 3,704                | 1,249                   | 2,039                | 742                     | 3,302                | 1,169                   |
| St. Johns  | 5,268                | 740                     | 2,930                | 471                     | 5,395                | 759                     |
| St. Lucie  | 7,964                | 2,852                   | 4,209                | 1,568                   | 7,117                | 2,433                   |
| Santa Rosa | 6,525                | 566                     | 3,613                | 360                     | 5,948                | 547                     |
| Sarasota   | 11,883               | 1,464                   | 6,312                | 874                     | 10,680               | 1,429                   |
| Seminole   | 19,910               | 3,459                   | 10,874               | 1,978                   | 18,108               | 3,157                   |
| Sumter     | 1,677                | 686                     | 1,019                | 423                     | 1,757                | 742                     |
| Suwannee   | 1,857                | 409                     | 1,209                | 253                     | 1,910                | 397                     |
| Taylor     | 1,045                | 335                     | 580                  | 234                     | 910                  | 342                     |
| Union      | 593                  | 189                     | 339                  | 124                     | 553                  | 244                     |
| Volusia    | 18,974               | 3,384                   | 9,993                | 1,812                   | 18,598               | 3,818                   |
| Wakulla    | 1,142                | 226                     | 714                  | 154                     | 1,106                | 236                     |
| Walton     | 1,843                | 212                     | 1,168                | 160                     | 1,892                | 231                     |
| Washington | 1,017                | 292                     | 684                  | 207                     | 1,052                | 323                     |

### Appendix C. Births in Florida, 1996

| Location     | Number of    |                 | Birth Rate |          |
|--------------|--------------|-----------------|------------|----------|
|              | White Births | Nonwhite Births | White      | Nonwhite |
| Florida      | 142,391      | 46,848          | 11.8       | 19.5     |
| Alachua      | 1,666        | 813             | 10.5       | 18.7     |
| Baker        | 243          | 39              | 13.8       | 12.2     |
| Bay          | 1,585        | 368             | 13.0       | 17.8     |
| Bradford     | 261          | 62              | 13.8       | 10.7     |
| Brevard      | 4,247        | 756             | 10.4       | 15.8     |
| Broward      | 13,219       | 6,696           | 12.0       | 23.2     |
| Calhoun      | 122          | 22              | 12.2       | 9.3      |
| Charlotte    | 912          | 81              | 7.3        | 10.3     |
| Citrus       | 819          | 52              | 7.7        | 14.2     |
| Clay         | 1,474        | 170             | 12.8       | 15.0     |
| Collier      | 2,175        | 320             | 11.7       | 25.4     |
| Columbia     | 521          | 149             | 12.3       | 14.7     |
| Dade         | 21,745       | 10,062          | 14.2       | 20.1     |
| DeSoto       | 294          | 77              | 13.5       | 13.8     |
| Dixie        | 134          | 16              | 11.7       | 11.6     |
| Duval        | 7,632        | 4,257           | 14.7       | 20.4     |
| Escambia     | 2,540        | 1,310           | 11.6       | 19.1     |
| Flagler      | 258          | 50              | 7.2        | 11.4     |
| Franklin     | 79           | 19              | 9.2        | 10.4     |
| Gadsden      | 246          | 408             | 12.7       | 15.5     |
| Gilchrist    | 127          | 10              | 11.4       | 7.5      |
| Glades       | 58           | 20              | 7.8        | 9.9      |
| Gulf         | 130          | 33              | 12.5       | 9.8      |
| Hamilton     | 91           | 58              | 11.1       | 10.9     |
| Hardee       | 429          | 33              | 21.7       | 12.2     |
| Hendry       | 473          | 108             | 19.9       | 16.1     |
| Hernando     | 935          | 79              | 8.0        | 12.7     |
| Highlands    | 682          | 172             | 9.8        | 18.5     |
| Hillsborough | 10,521       | 3,136           | 13.8       | 21.1     |
| Holmes       | 190          | 13              | 12.1       | 7.9      |
| Indian River | 798          | 181             | 8.5        | 19.1     |
| Jackson      | 392          | 155             | 11.3       | 11.9     |
| Jefferson    | 79           | 76              | 9.9        | 13.5     |

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| Location   | Number of    |                 | Birth Rate |          |
|------------|--------------|-----------------|------------|----------|
|            | White Births | Nonwhite Births | White      | Nonwhite |
| Lafayette  | 61           | 10              | 11.0       | 6.7      |
| Lake       | 1,641        | 308             | 9.9        | 16.4     |
| Lee        | 3,841        | 607             | 10.7       | 19.2     |
| Leon       | 1,753        | 1,035           | 10.7       | 17.4     |
| Levy       | 314          | 48              | 11.7       | 12.2     |
| Liberty    | 70           | 10              | 12.5       | 5.8      |
| Madison    | 102          | 108             | 9.6        | 13.6     |
| Manatee    | 2,416        | 462             | 11.2       | 20.6     |
| Marion     | 1,958        | 544             | 9.8        | 16.9     |
| Martin     | 941          | 191             | 8.9        | 19.1     |
| Monroe     | 783          | 88              | 10.1       | 13.9     |
| Nassau     | 622          | 75              | 13.5       | 14.7     |
| Okaloosa   | 1,970        | 393             | 13.7       | 17.2     |
| Okeechobee | 393          | 42              | 12.6       | 13.6     |
| Orange     | 8,611        | 3,124           | 14.0       | 18.6     |
| Osceola    | 1,801        | 238             | 13.9       | 15.9     |
| Palm Beach | 9,203        | 3,373           | 10.9       | 22.6     |
| Pasco      | 3,048        | 165             | 10.1       | 13.9     |
| Pinellas   | 7,382        | 1,794           | 9.4        | 20.5     |
| Polk       | 4,838        | 1,354           | 12.5       | 20.6     |
| Putnam     | 656          | 249             | 11.4       | 19.7     |
| St. Johns  | 994          | 154             | 10.6       | 16.7     |
| St. Lucie  | 1,534        | 610             | 10.3       | 20.7     |
| Santa Rosa | 1,278        | 123             | 13.7       | 16.5     |
| Sarasota   | 2,265        | 253             | 7.8        | 14.2     |
| Seminole   | 3,708        | 659             | 12.6       | 16.3     |
| Sumter     | 304          | 76              | 9.5        | 8.8      |
| Suwannee   | 314          | 66              | 11.5       | 15.4     |
| Taylor     | 176          | 52              | 11.9       | 12.8     |
| Union      | 106          | 14              | 11.5       | 3.8      |
| Volusia    | 3,515        | 687             | 9.6        | 15.4     |
| Wakulla    | 194          | 30              | 12.4       | 11.2     |
| Walton     | 334          | 42              | 10.6       | 13.1     |
| Washington | 188          | 63              | 11.7       | 16.8     |



### Appendix D. Births to Unwed Mothers, 1996

| Location     | Births to Unwed Mothers | % of Births to Unwed Mothers Age Under 20 | % of Births to Unwed Mothers Age 20 and Over | % of White Births to Unwed Mothers | % of Nonwhite Births to Unwed Mothers |
|--------------|-------------------------|-------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------|------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Florida      | 68,082                  | 10.7                                      | 25.2                                         | 27.0                               | 63.1                                  |
| Alachua      | 853                     | 10.6                                      | 23.8                                         | 20.9                               | 62.0                                  |
| Baker        | 105                     | 11.7                                      | 25.5                                         | 31.3                               | 74.4*                                 |
| Bay          | 636                     | 10.7                                      | 21.8                                         | 25.7                               | 62.2                                  |
| Bradford     | 113                     | 14.6                                      | 20.4                                         | 24.1                               | 80.6*                                 |
| Brevard      | 1,455                   | 8.8                                       | 20.3                                         | 24.0                               | 57.4                                  |
| Broward      | 6,624                   | 8.5                                       | 24.7                                         | 21.3                               | 56.9                                  |
| Calhoun      | 45                      | 10.4                                      | 20.8                                         | 23.0                               | 77.3*                                 |
| Charlotte    | 312                     | 9.2                                       | 22.3                                         | 30.3                               | 44.4*                                 |
| Citrus       | 286                     | 9.3                                       | 23.5                                         | 32.1                               | 44.2*                                 |
| Clay         | 406                     | 8.3                                       | 16.4                                         | 22.3                               | 45.9                                  |
| Collier      | 902                     | 10.4                                      | 25.7                                         | 32.2                               | 62.8                                  |
| Columbia     | 269                     | 14.5                                      | 25.6                                         | 31.3                               | 71.1                                  |
| Dade         | 12,973                  | 9.9                                       | 30.9                                         | 29.8                               | 64.4                                  |
| DeSoto       | 147                     | 15.4                                      | 24.3                                         | 29.9                               | 76.6*                                 |
| Dixie        | 62                      | 16.7                                      | 24.7                                         | 38.1                               | 68.8*                                 |
| Duval        | 4,204                   | 11.8                                      | 23.5                                         | 21.9                               | 59.4                                  |
| Escambia     | 1,548                   | 13.1                                      | 27.1                                         | 25.6                               | 68.6                                  |
| Flagler      | 102                     | 12.9                                      | 20.1                                         | 26.0                               | 70.0*                                 |
| Franklin     | 30                      | 11.2*                                     | 19.4*                                        | 19.0*                              | 78.9*                                 |
| Gadsden      | 385                     | 22.0                                      | 36.8                                         | 29.7                               | 76.5                                  |
| Gilchrist    | 47                      | 13.9                                      | 20.4                                         | 30.7                               | 80.0*                                 |
| Glades       | 30                      | 15.4*                                     | 23.1*                                        | 29.3*                              | 65.0*                                 |
| Gulf         | 65                      | 14.6                                      | 25.0                                         | 29.2                               | 81.8*                                 |
| Hamilton     | 64                      | 18.1                                      | 24.8                                         | 26.4*                              | 69.0*                                 |
| Hardee       | 148                     | 13.4                                      | 18.6                                         | 29.4                               | 66.7*                                 |
| Hendry       | 273                     | 18.8                                      | 28.2                                         | 39.3                               | 80.6                                  |
| Hernando     | 363                     | 12.1                                      | 23.7                                         | 33.2                               | 67.1*                                 |
| Highlands    | 351                     | 13.2                                      | 27.9                                         | 33.0                               | 73.3                                  |
| Hillsborough | 5,116                   | 12.2                                      | 25.2                                         | 28.8                               | 66.5                                  |
| Holmes       | 64                      | 11.8                                      | 19.7                                         | 30.0                               | 53.8*                                 |
| Indian River | 335                     | 12.0                                      | 22.3                                         | 25.9                               | 70.7                                  |
| Jackson      | 199                     | 11.5                                      | 24.9                                         | 25.3                               | 64.5                                  |
| Jefferson    | 77                      | 18.1                                      | 31.6                                         | 15.2*                              | 85.5*                                 |

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### Appendix D. Births to Unwed Mothers, 1996

| Location   | Births to Unwed Mothers | % of Births to Unwed Mothers Age Under 20 | % of Births to Unwed Mothers Age 20 and Over | % of White Births to Unwed Mothers | % of Nonwhite Births to Unwed Mothers |
|------------|-------------------------|-------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------|------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Lafayette  | 24                      | 9.9*                                      | 23.9*                                        | 23.0*                              | 100.0*                                |
| Lake       | 724                     | 13.4                                      | 23.8                                         | 31.3                               | 68.5                                  |
| Lee        | 1,644                   | 11.9                                      | 25.1                                         | 31.2                               | 73.1                                  |
| Leon       | 929                     | 10.0                                      | 23.3                                         | 16.7                               | 61.4                                  |
| Levy       | 135                     | 17.1                                      | 20.2                                         | 31.5                               | 75.0*                                 |
| Liberty    | 27                      | 8.8*                                      | 25.0*                                        | 25.7*                              | 90.0*                                 |
| Madison    | 113                     | 17.1                                      | 36.7                                         | 27.5                               | 78.7                                  |
| Manatee    | 1,128                   | 13.6                                      | 25.6                                         | 33.2                               | 70.3                                  |
| Marion     | 970                     | 13.8                                      | 24.9                                         | 31.3                               | 65.4                                  |
| Martin     | 370                     | 9.0                                       | 23.7                                         | 26.4                               | 63.9                                  |
| Monroe     | 280                     | 6.0                                       | 26.2                                         | 29.6                               | 54.5*                                 |
| Nassau     | 193                     | 9.6                                       | 18.1                                         | 23.8                               | 60.0*                                 |
| Okaloosa   | 574                     | 7.2                                       | 17.1                                         | 20.3                               | 44.5                                  |
| Okeechobee | 152                     | 14.3                                      | 20.7                                         | 32.1                               | 61.9*                                 |
| Orange     | 4,284                   | 11.3                                      | 25.2                                         | 27.8                               | 60.5                                  |
| Osceola    | 701                     | 11.3                                      | 23.0                                         | 33.1                               | 44.1                                  |
| Palm Beach | 4,220                   | 9.3                                       | 24.2                                         | 23.2                               | 61.8                                  |
| Pasco      | 1,076                   | 10.7                                      | 22.8                                         | 32.4                               | 53.3                                  |
| Pinellas   | 3,289                   | 10.1                                      | 25.7                                         | 28.0                               | 68.3                                  |
| Polk       | 2,662                   | 14.9                                      | 28.0                                         | 34.4                               | 73.6                                  |
| Putnam     | 383                     | 16.0                                      | 26.3                                         | 30.0                               | 74.7                                  |
| St. Johns  | 322                     | 9.1                                       | 19.0                                         | 22.2                               | 65.6                                  |
| St. Lucie  | 844                     | 12.0                                      | 27.4                                         | 27.6                               | 68.9                                  |
| Santa Rosa | 349                     | 9.9                                       | 15.1                                         | 23.3                               | 41.5                                  |
| Sarasota   | 741                     | 8.5                                       | 20.9                                         | 25.1                               | 68.4                                  |
| Seminole   | 1,167                   | 8.3                                       | 18.4                                         | 21.3                               | 57.4                                  |
| Sumter     | 167                     | 17.9                                      | 26.1                                         | 35.5                               | 77.6*                                 |
| Suwannee   | 128                     | 12.6                                      | 21.1                                         | 28.0                               | 60.6*                                 |
| Taylor     | 78                      | 10.5                                      | 23.7                                         | 22.2                               | 75.0*                                 |
| Union      | 38                      | 13.3                                      | 18.3                                         | 25.5                               | 78.6*                                 |
| Volusia    | 1,496                   | 10.7                                      | 24.9                                         | 29.4                               | 67.5                                  |
| Wakulla    | 71                      | 9.4                                       | 22.3                                         | 27.8                               | 56.7*                                 |
| Walton     | 117                     | 10.9                                      | 20.2                                         | 26.9                               | 64.3*                                 |
| Washington | 97                      | 11.6                                      | 27.1                                         | 28.7                               | 68.3*                                 |

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## Appendix E. Births to Teenagers (under age 20), 1996

| Location     | Births to<br>White Teenagers | % of Total<br>White Births<br>to Teenagers | White Teen<br>Birth Rate<br>Age 15 - 19<br>per 1,000 | Births to<br>Nonwhite<br>Teenagers | % of Total<br>Nonwhite Births<br>to Teenagers | Nonwhite Teen<br>Birth Rate<br>Age 15 - 19<br>per 1,000 |
|--------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------|
| Florida      | 15,554                       | 10.9                                       | 48.8                                                 | 9,875                              | 21.1                                          | 97.1                                                    |
| Alachua      | 146                          | 8.8                                        | 19.3                                                 | 183                                | 22.5                                          | 73.8                                                    |
| Baker        | 48                           | 19.8                                       | 68.0                                                 | 3                                  | 7.7*                                          | 29.1                                                    |
| Bay          | 221                          | 13.9                                       | 59.4                                                 | 84                                 | 22.8                                          | 93.3                                                    |
| Bradford     | 45                           | 17.2                                       | 79.8                                                 | 21                                 | 33.9*                                         | 139.1                                                   |
| Brevard      | 396                          | 9.3                                        | 36.1                                                 | 157                                | 20.8                                          | 77.6                                                    |
| Broward      | 828                          | 6.3                                        | 34.9                                                 | 1,108                              | 16.5                                          | 97.3                                                    |
| Calhoun      | 15                           | 12.3                                       | 42.2                                                 | 10                                 | 45.5*                                         | 116.9*                                                  |
| Charlotte    | 106                          | 11.6                                       | 40.0                                                 | 12                                 | 14.8*                                         | 38.3                                                    |
| Citrus       | 109                          | 13.3                                       | 48.4                                                 | 5                                  | 9.6*                                          | 31.1                                                    |
| Clay         | 171                          | 11.6                                       | 40.4                                                 | 35                                 | 20.6                                          | 69.4                                                    |
| Collier      | 302                          | 13.9                                       | 70.4                                                 | 65                                 | 20.3                                          | 141.8                                                   |
| Columbia     | 85                           | 16.3                                       | 56.2                                                 | 45                                 | 30.2                                          | 106.4                                                   |
| Dade         | 1,993                        | 9.2                                        | 45.8                                                 | 1,848                              | 18.4                                          | 89.2                                                    |
| DeSoto       | 59                           | 20.1                                       | 103.4                                                | 28                                 | 36.4*                                         | 164.6                                                   |
| Dixie        | 34                           | 25.4                                       | 95.7                                                 | 4                                  | 25.0*                                         | 133.3*                                                  |
| Duval        | 851                          | 11.2                                       | 57.7                                                 | 916                                | 21.5                                          | 109.3                                                   |
| Escambia     | 296                          | 11.7                                       | 42.4                                                 | 330                                | 25.2                                          | 108.5                                                   |
| Flagler      | 28                           | 10.9                                       | 35.0                                                 | 18                                 | 36.0*                                         | 116.9                                                   |
| Franklin     | 18                           | 22.8*                                      | 82.6                                                 | 6                                  | 31.6*                                         | 90.9*                                                   |
| Gadsden      | 36                           | 14.6                                       | 78.8                                                 | 123                                | 30.1                                          | 101.0                                                   |
| Gilchrist    | 25                           | 19.7                                       | 71.8                                                 | 2                                  | 22.2*                                         | 52.6*                                                   |
| Glades       | 9                            | 15.5*                                      | 46.9                                                 | 7                                  | 35.0*                                         | 72.2*                                                   |
| Gulf         | 31                           | 23.8                                       | 90.6                                                 | 11                                 | 33.3*                                         | 118.3*                                                  |
| Hamilton     | 27                           | 29.7*                                      | 90.6                                                 | 14                                 | 24.1*                                         | 62.8                                                    |
| Hardee       | 91                           | 21.2                                       | 134.5                                                | 14                                 | 42.4*                                         | 189.2*                                                  |
| Hendry       | 101                          | 21.4                                       | 127.9                                                | 35                                 | 32.4                                          | 113.0                                                   |
| Hernando     | 150                          | 16.0                                       | 55.9                                                 | 26                                 | 32.9*                                         | 97.7                                                    |
| Highlands    | 106                          | 15.5                                       | 75.5                                                 | 47                                 | 27.3                                          | 104.2                                                   |
| Hillsborough | 1,323                        | 12.6                                       | 60.7                                                 | 741                                | 23.6                                          | 121.1                                                   |
| Holmes       | 39                           | 20.5                                       | 81.1                                                 | 1                                  | 7.7*                                          | 25.0*                                                   |
| Indian River | 97                           | 12.2                                       | 47.7                                                 | 51                                 | 28.2                                          | 114.4                                                   |
| Jackson      | 61                           | 15.6                                       | 56.5                                                 | 35                                 | 22.6                                          | 72.5                                                    |
| Jefferson    | 6                            | 7.6*                                       | 21.7                                                 | 27                                 | 35.5*                                         | 114.0                                                   |

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### Appendix E. Births to Teenagers (under age 20), 1996

| Location   | Births to<br>White Teenagers | % of Total<br>White Births<br>to Teenagers | White Teen<br>Birth Rate<br>Age 15 - 19<br>per 1,000 | Births to<br>Nonwhite<br>Teenagers | % of Total<br>Nonwhite Births<br>to Teenagers | Nonwhite Teen<br>Birth Rate<br>Age 15 - 19<br>per 1,000 |
|------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------|
| Lafayette  | 3                            | 4.9*                                       | 18.4                                                 | 5                                  | 50.0*                                         | 125.0*                                                  |
| Lake       | 271                          | 16.5                                       | 76.5                                                 | 85                                 | 27.6                                          | 107.6                                                   |
| Lee        | 437                          | 11.4                                       | 55.3                                                 | 188                                | 31.0                                          | 138.9                                                   |
| Leon       | 137                          | 7.8                                        | 17.2                                                 | 191                                | 18.5                                          | 42.0                                                    |
| Levy       | 69                           | 22.0                                       | 92.6                                                 | 19                                 | 39.6*                                         | 114.5                                                   |
| Liberty    | 14                           | 20.0*                                      | 80.0                                                 | 0                                  | 0.0*                                          | 0.0*                                                    |
| Madison    | 14                           | 13.7                                       | 46.1                                                 | 27                                 | 25.0                                          | 90.3                                                    |
| Manatee    | 371                          | 15.4                                       | 79.2                                                 | 126                                | 27.3                                          | 141.3                                                   |
| Marion     | 302                          | 15.4                                       | 60.0                                                 | 138                                | 25.4                                          | 106.9                                                   |
| Martin     | 95                           | 10.1                                       | 42.9                                                 | 33                                 | 17.3                                          | 84.7                                                    |
| Monroe     | 65                           | 8.3                                        | 42.6                                                 | 14                                 | 15.9*                                         | 75.3                                                    |
| Nassau     | 100                          | 16.1                                       | 65.3                                                 | 15                                 | 20.0*                                         | 73.9                                                    |
| Okaloosa   | 216                          | 11.0                                       | 50.7                                                 | 60                                 | 15.3                                          | 60.1                                                    |
| Okeechobee | 84                           | 21.4                                       | 84.7                                                 | 15                                 | 35.7*                                         | 127.1                                                   |
| Orange     | 936                          | 10.9                                       | 49.1                                                 | 637                                | 20.4                                          | 86.2                                                    |
| Osceola    | 269                          | 14.9                                       | 68.2                                                 | 47                                 | 19.7                                          | 72.1                                                    |
| Palm Beach | 718                          | 7.8                                        | 39.3                                                 | 654                                | 19.4                                          | 114.7                                                   |
| Pasco      | 417                          | 13.7                                       | 63.4                                                 | 36                                 | 21.8                                          | 71.0                                                    |
| Pinellas   | 685                          | 9.3                                        | 39.7                                                 | 401                                | 22.4                                          | 113.9                                                   |
| Polk       | 816                          | 16.9                                       | 75.7                                                 | 385                                | 28.4                                          | 133.8                                                   |
| Putnam     | 126                          | 19.2                                       | 76.2                                                 | 85                                 | 34.1                                          | 142.6                                                   |
| St. Johns  | 96                           | 9.7                                        | 35.0                                                 | 35                                 | 22.7                                          | 91.7                                                    |
| St. Lucie  | 147                          | 9.6                                        | 40.5                                                 | 159                                | 26.1                                          | 125.5                                                   |
| Santa Rosa | 178                          | 13.9                                       | 60.0                                                 | 22                                 | 17.9                                          | 81.5                                                    |
| Sarasota   | 183                          | 8.1                                        | 33.7                                                 | 74                                 | 29.2                                          | 92.3                                                    |
| Seminole   | 288                          | 7.8                                        | 31.7                                                 | 154                                | 23.4                                          | 90.7                                                    |
| Sumter     | 54                           | 17.8                                       | 62.4                                                 | 30                                 | 39.5*                                         | 99.7                                                    |
| Suwannee   | 60                           | 19.1                                       | 64.6                                                 | 16                                 | 24.2*                                         | 87.0                                                    |
| Taylor     | 28                           | 15.9                                       | 60.7                                                 | 10                                 | 19.2*                                         | 66.7                                                    |
| Union      | 19                           | 17.9                                       | 82.3                                                 | 3                                  | 21.4*                                         | 41.7*                                                   |
| Volusia    | 389                          | 11.1                                       | 41.6                                                 | 167                                | 24.3                                          | 84.1                                                    |
| Wakulla    | 23                           | 11.9                                       | 43.3                                                 | 5                                  | 16.7*                                         | 44.6                                                    |
| Walton     | 60                           | 18.0                                       | 65.9                                                 | 14                                 | 33.3*                                         | 140.0                                                   |
| Washington | 31                           | 16.5                                       | 60.1                                                 | 13                                 | 20.6*                                         | 83.9                                                    |

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### Appendix F. Early Prenatal Care and Low Birthweight, 1996

| Location     | White<br>Early<br>Prenatal Care | % White<br>Early<br>Prenatal Care | Nonwhite<br>Early<br>Prenatal Care | % Nonwhite<br>Early<br>Prenatal Care | White<br>Low<br>Birthweight | % White<br>Low<br>Birthweight | Nonwhite<br>Low<br>Birthweight | % Nonwhite<br>Low<br>Birthweight |
|--------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Florida      | 122,062                         | 86.5                              | 33,746                             | 73.4                                 | 9,337                       | 6.6                           | 5,537                          | 11.8                             |
| Alachua      | 1,441                           | 87.1                              | 560                                | 69.6                                 | 108                         | 6.5                           | 103                            | 12.7                             |
| Baker        | 201                             | 87.8                              | 30                                 | 76.9*                                | 15                          | 6.2                           | 7                              | 17.9*                            |
| Bay          | 1,348                           | 85.9                              | 267                                | 74.8                                 | 101                         | 6.4                           | 52                             | 14.1                             |
| Bradford     | 222                             | 85.4                              | 36                                 | 59.0*                                | 14                          | 5.4                           | 9                              | 14.5*                            |
| Brevard      | 3,749                           | 88.8                              | 584                                | 77.7                                 | 263                         | 6.2                           | 71                             | 9.4                              |
| Broward      | 11,742                          | 90.2                              | 5,010                              | 77.4                                 | 857                         | 6.5                           | 765                            | 11.4                             |
| Calhoun      | 110                             | 90.2                              | 18                                 | 81.8*                                | 10                          | 8.2                           | 2                              | 9.1*                             |
| Charlotte    | 735                             | 81.0                              | 54                                 | 67.5*                                | 60                          | 6.6                           | 5                              | 6.2*                             |
| Citrus       | 711                             | 86.8                              | 40                                 | 76.9*                                | 59                          | 7.2                           | 4                              | 7.7*                             |
| Clay         | 1,262                           | 90.7                              | 130                                | 81.8                                 | 83                          | 5.6                           | 21                             | 12.4                             |
| Collier      | 1,684                           | 77.8                              | 174                                | 54.9                                 | 129                         | 5.9                           | 26                             | 8.1                              |
| Columbia     | 413                             | 79.6                              | 93                                 | 62.8                                 | 45                          | 8.6                           | 19                             | 12.8                             |
| Dade         | 18,697                          | 86.3                              | 7,266                              | 72.8                                 | 1,324                       | 6.1                           | 1,136                          | 11.3                             |
| DeSoto       | 225                             | 76.5                              | 52                                 | 67.5*                                | 19                          | 6.5                           | 10                             | 13.0*                            |
| Dixie        | 101                             | 75.9                              | 11                                 | 68.8*                                | 16                          | 11.9                          | 2                              | 12.5*                            |
| Duval        | 6,296                           | 87.5                              | 2,977                              | 75.0                                 | 449                         | 5.9                           | 517                            | 12.1                             |
| Escambia     | 2,258                           | 89.5                              | 980                                | 76.8                                 | 196                         | 7.7                           | 156                            | 11.9                             |
| Flagler      | 237                             | 91.9                              | 30                                 | 60.0*                                | 19                          | 7.4                           | 6                              | 12.0*                            |
| Franklin     | 66                              | 83.5*                             | 13                                 | 68.4*                                | 10                          | 12.7*                         | 3                              | 15.8*                            |
| Gadsden      | 216                             | 88.5                              | 314                                | 77.1                                 | 21                          | 8.5                           | 53                             | 13.0                             |
| Gilchrist    | 110                             | 86.6                              | 4                                  | 44.4*                                | 13                          | 10.2                          | 2                              | 20.0*                            |
| Glades       | 45                              | 77.6*                             | 13                                 | 68.4*                                | 2                           | 3.4*                          | 2                              | 10.0*                            |
| Gulf         | 104                             | 80.0                              | 17                                 | 51.5*                                | 8                           | 6.2                           | 3                              | 9.1*                             |
| Hamilton     | 78                              | 86.7*                             | 43                                 | 76.8*                                | 5                           | 5.5*                          | 10                             | 17.2*                            |
| Hardee       | 258                             | 60.3                              | 23                                 | 69.7*                                | 26                          | 6.1                           | 1                              | 3.0*                             |
| Hendry       | 305                             | 67.2                              | 69                                 | 67.6                                 | 37                          | 7.8                           | 22                             | 20.4                             |
| Hernando     | 818                             | 87.6                              | 66                                 | 83.5*                                | 68                          | 7.3                           | 9                              | 11.4*                            |
| Highlands    | 483                             | 71.1                              | 103                                | 59.9                                 | 43                          | 6.3                           | 21                             | 12.2                             |
| Hillsborough | 9,082                           | 86.7                              | 2,286                              | 73.3                                 | 688                         | 6.5                           | 377                            | 12.0                             |
| Holmes       | 160                             | 85.1                              | 11                                 | 91.7*                                | 11                          | 5.8                           | 1                              | 7.7*                             |
| Indian River | 618                             | 79.5                              | 118                                | 67.8                                 | 51                          | 6.4                           | 16                             | 8.8                              |
| Jackson      | 370                             | 94.9                              | 139                                | 90.8                                 | 23                          | 5.9                           | 27                             | 17.4                             |
| Jefferson    | 77                              | 97.5*                             | 65                                 | 85.5*                                | 3                           | 3.8*                          | 9                              | 11.8*                            |

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## Appendix F. Early Prenatal Care and Low Birthweight, 1996

| Location   | White<br>Early<br>Prenatal Care | % White<br>Early<br>Prenatal Care | Nonwhite<br>Early<br>Prenatal Care | % Nonwhite<br>Early<br>Prenatal Care | White<br>Low<br>Birthweight | % White<br>Low<br>Birthweight | Nonwhite<br>Low<br>Birthweight | % Nonwhite<br>Low<br>Birthweight |
|------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Lafayette  | 52                              | 85.2*                             | 6                                  | 60.0*                                | 7                           | 11.5*                         | 0                              | 0.0*                             |
| Lake       | 1,430                           | 87.4                              | 246                                | 79.9                                 | 117                         | 7.1                           | 49                             | 15.9                             |
| Lee        | 3,084                           | 81.3                              | 371                                | 62.4                                 | 253                         | 6.6                           | 72                             | 11.9                             |
| Leon       | 1,645                           | 94.3                              | 866                                | 83.8                                 | 100                         | 5.7                           | 115                            | 11.1                             |
| Levy       | 257                             | 81.8                              | 27                                 | 58.7*                                | 23                          | 7.3                           | 7                              | 14.6*                            |
| Liberty    | 61                              | 87.1*                             | 8                                  | 80.0*                                | 9                           | 12.9*                         | 2                              | 20.0*                            |
| Madison    | 94                              | 92.2                              | 91                                 | 85.8                                 | 1                           | 1.0                           | 15                             | 13.9                             |
| Manatee    | 1,951                           | 80.8                              | 309                                | 66.9                                 | 167                         | 6.9                           | 59                             | 12.8                             |
| Marion     | 1,596                           | 81.7                              | 357                                | 66.2                                 | 106                         | 5.4                           | 64                             | 11.8                             |
| Martin     | 825                             | 88.0                              | 124                                | 64.9                                 | 65                          | 6.9                           | 18                             | 9.4                              |
| Monroe     | 737                             | 94.1                              | 76                                 | 88.4*                                | 49                          | 6.3                           | 15                             | 17.0*                            |
| Nassau     | 552                             | 90.0                              | 58                                 | 80.6*                                | 52                          | 8.4                           | 16                             | 21.3*                            |
| Okaloosa   | 1,707                           | 87.0                              | 300                                | 76.5                                 | 122                         | 6.2                           | 37                             | 9.4                              |
| Okeechobee | 311                             | 80.2                              | 28                                 | 68.3*                                | 30                          | 7.6                           | 5                              | 11.9*                            |
| Orange     | 7,600                           | 88.8                              | 2,334                              | 75.7                                 | 657                         | 7.6                           | 422                            | 13.5                             |
| Osceola    | 1,475                           | 82.1                              | 176                                | 74.3                                 | 118                         | 6.6                           | 29                             | 12.2                             |
| Palm Beach | 7,853                           | 85.9                              | 2,203                              | 66.2                                 | 604                         | 6.6                           | 358                            | 10.6                             |
| Pasco      | 2,717                           | 89.3                              | 145                                | 87.9                                 | 227                         | 7.4                           | 17                             | 10.3                             |
| Pinellas   | 6,388                           | 86.6                              | 1,281                              | 71.5                                 | 480                         | 6.5                           | 265                            | 14.8                             |
| Polk       | 3,823                           | 79.4                              | 857                                | 63.9                                 | 342                         | 7.1                           | 146                            | 10.8                             |
| Putnam     | 528                             | 80.9                              | 172                                | 70.2                                 | 38                          | 5.8                           | 34                             | 13.7                             |
| St. Johns  | 842                             | 85.8                              | 108                                | 71.5                                 | 73                          | 7.3                           | 26                             | 16.9                             |
| St. Lucie  | 1,308                           | 85.3                              | 397                                | 65.1                                 | 113                         | 7.4                           | 69                             | 11.3                             |
| Santa Rosa | 1,139                           | 89.8                              | 100                                | 83.3                                 | 91                          | 7.1                           | 12                             | 9.8                              |
| Sarasota   | 1,954                           | 86.5                              | 192                                | 75.9                                 | 134                         | 5.9                           | 31                             | 12.3                             |
| Seminole   | 3,384                           | 91.5                              | 523                                | 79.7                                 | 245                         | 6.6                           | 69                             | 10.5                             |
| Sumter     | 258                             | 84.9                              | 60                                 | 78.9*                                | 13                          | 4.3                           | 8                              | 10.5*                            |
| Suwannee   | 250                             | 79.6                              | 40                                 | 64.5*                                | 28                          | 8.9                           | 14                             | 21.2*                            |
| Taylor     | 162                             | 92.0                              | 37                                 | 71.2*                                | 9                           | 5.1                           | 12                             | 23.1*                            |
| Union      | 89                              | 84.8                              | 8                                  | 57.1*                                | 11                          | 10.4                          | 0                              | 0.0*                             |
| Volusia    | 3,133                           | 89.3                              | 542                                | 78.9                                 | 232                         | 6.6                           | 73                             | 10.6                             |
| Wakulla    | 176                             | 91.2                              | 27                                 | 90.0*                                | 18                          | 9.3                           | 4                              | 13.3*                            |
| Walton     | 291                             | 87.4                              | 25                                 | 59.6*                                | 14                          | 4.2                           | 4                              | 9.5*                             |
| Washington | 168                             | 89.8                              | 56                                 | 88.9*                                | 13                          | 6.9                           | 3                              | 4.8*                             |

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### Appendix G. Infant Mortality, 1996

| Location     | White<br>Infant<br>Deaths | White Infant<br>Mortality<br>Rate | Nonwhite<br>Infant<br>Deaths | Nonwhite Infant<br>Mortality<br>Rate |
|--------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Florida      | 821                       | 5.8                               | 583                          | 12.4                                 |
| Alachua      | 11                        | 6.6                               | 16                           | 19.7                                 |
| Baker        | 3                         | 12.3                              | 0                            | 0.0*                                 |
| Bay          | 13                        | 8.2                               | 13                           | 35.3                                 |
| Bradford     | 0                         | 0.0                               | 5                            | 80.6*                                |
| Brevard      | 23                        | 5.4                               | 6                            | 7.9                                  |
| Broward      | 63                        | 4.8                               | 83                           | 12.4                                 |
| Calhoun      | 2                         | 16.4                              | 0                            | 0.0*                                 |
| Charlotte    | 3                         | 3.3                               | 0                            | 0.0*                                 |
| Citrus       | 9                         | 11.0                              | 0                            | 0.0*                                 |
| Clay         | 4                         | 2.7                               | 2                            | 11.8                                 |
| Collier      | 12                        | 5.5                               | 1                            | 3.1                                  |
| Columbia     | 1                         | 1.9                               | 5                            | 33.6                                 |
| Dade         | 94                        | 4.3                               | 97                           | 9.6                                  |
| DeSoto       | 2                         | 6.8                               | 0                            | 0.0*                                 |
| Dixie        | 2                         | 14.9                              | 0                            | 0.0*                                 |
| Duval        | 49                        | 6.4                               | 46                           | 10.8                                 |
| Escambia     | 18                        | 7.1                               | 16                           | 12.2                                 |
| Flagler      | 1                         | 3.9                               | 1                            | 20.0*                                |
| Franklin     | 3                         | 38.0*                             | 0                            | 0.0*                                 |
| Gadsden      | 0                         | 0.0                               | 3                            | 7.4                                  |
| Gilchrist    | 3                         | 23.6                              | 0                            | 0.0*                                 |
| Glades       | 0                         | 0.0*                              | 1                            | 50.0*                                |
| Gulf         | 1                         | 7.7                               | 0                            | 0.0*                                 |
| Hamilton     | 0                         | 0.0*                              | 0                            | 0.0*                                 |
| Hardee       | 2                         | 4.7                               | 1                            | 30.3*                                |
| Hendry       | 1                         | 2.1                               | 2                            | 18.5                                 |
| Hernando     | 4                         | 4.3                               | 1                            | 12.7*                                |
| Highlands    | 5                         | 7.3                               | 2                            | 11.6                                 |
| Hillsborough | 71                        | 6.7                               | 55                           | 17.5                                 |
| Holmes       | 2                         | 10.5                              | 0                            | 0.0*                                 |
| Indian River | 5                         | 6.3                               | 3                            | 16.6                                 |
| Jackson      | 2                         | 5.1                               | 4                            | 25.8                                 |
| Jefferson    | 0                         | 0.0*                              | 1                            | 13.2*                                |

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### Appendix G. Infant Mortality, 1996

| Location   | White<br>Infant<br>Deaths | White Infant<br>Mortality<br>Rate | Nonwhite<br>Infant<br>Deaths | Nonwhite Infant<br>Mortality<br>Rate |
|------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Lafayette  | 0                         | 0.0*                              | 0                            | 0.0*                                 |
| Lake       | 12                        | 7.3                               | 6                            | 19.5                                 |
| Lee        | 31                        | 8.1                               | 11                           | 18.1                                 |
| Leon       | 8                         | 4.6                               | 7                            | 6.8                                  |
| Levy       | 3                         | 9.6                               | 1                            | 20.8*                                |
| Liberty    | 0                         | 0.0*                              | 0                            | 0.0*                                 |
| Madison    | 0                         | 0.0                               | 2                            | 18.5                                 |
| Manatee    | 7                         | 2.9                               | 6                            | 13.0                                 |
| Marion     | 12                        | 6.1                               | 7                            | 12.9                                 |
| Martin     | 2                         | 2.1                               | 2                            | 10.5                                 |
| Monroe     | 0                         | 0.0                               | 5                            | 56.8*                                |
| Nassau     | 6                         | 9.6                               | 1                            | 13.3*                                |
| Okaloosa   | 15                        | 7.6                               | 8                            | 20.4                                 |
| Okeechobee | 2                         | 5.1                               | 1                            | 23.8*                                |
| Orange     | 50                        | 5.8                               | 37                           | 11.8                                 |
| Osceola    | 6                         | 3.3                               | 1                            | 4.2                                  |
| Palm Beach | 35                        | 3.8                               | 38                           | 11.3                                 |
| Pasco      | 30                        | 9.8                               | 3                            | 18.2                                 |
| Pinellas   | 53                        | 7.2                               | 29                           | 16.2                                 |
| Polk       | 48                        | 9.9                               | 15                           | 11.1                                 |
| Putnam     | 8                         | 12.2                              | 3                            | 12.0                                 |
| St. Johns  | 11                        | 11.1                              | 6                            | 39.0                                 |
| St. Lucie  | 8                         | 5.2                               | 13                           | 21.3                                 |
| Santa Rosa | 6                         | 4.7                               | 0                            | 0.0                                  |
| Sarasota   | 12                        | 5.3                               | 4                            | 15.8                                 |
| Seminole   | 12                        | 3.2                               | 5                            | 7.6                                  |
| Sumter     | 5                         | 16.4                              | 0                            | 0.0*                                 |
| Suwannee   | 4                         | 12.7                              | 2                            | 30.3*                                |
| Taylor     | 2                         | 11.4                              | 0                            | 0.0*                                 |
| Union      | 1                         | 9.4                               | 0                            | 0.0*                                 |
| Volusia    | 22                        | 6.3                               | 6                            | 8.7                                  |
| Wakulla    | 1                         | 5.2                               | 0                            | 0.0*                                 |
| Walton     | 0                         | 0.0                               | 0                            | 0.0*                                 |
| Washington | 0                         | 0.0                               | 0                            | 0.0*                                 |

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## Appendix H. Child Well-Being, 1996

| Location     | Child Deaths<br>Age 1 - 14 | Teen Violent<br>Deaths | Teen Violent<br>Death Rate | Dissolutions of<br>Marriage with<br>Children Age <18 | Minimum Number of<br>Children Affected by<br>Dissolutions of Marriage | Maltreatments<br>in Reports Closed (1996/97) |         |                 |
|--------------|----------------------------|------------------------|----------------------------|------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------|---------|-----------------|
|              |                            |                        |                            |                                                      |                                                                       | Abuse                                        | Neglect | Threatened Harm |
| Florida      | 775                        | 486                    | 5.8                        | 32,613                                               | 53,988                                                                | 34,056                                       | 48,024  | 34,052          |
| Alachua      | 7                          | 5                      | 2.6                        | 434                                                  | 730                                                                   | 400                                          | 468     | 313             |
| Baker        | 1                          | 0                      | 0.0                        | 61                                                   | 115                                                                   | 45                                           | 105     | 88              |
| Bay          | 7                          | 9                      | 9.6                        | 458                                                  | 740                                                                   | 521                                          | 1,006   | 731             |
| Bradford     | 3                          | 0                      | 0.0                        | 76                                                   | 121                                                                   | 60                                           | 118     | 103             |
| Brevard      | 21                         | 9                      | 3.4                        | 766                                                  | 1,269                                                                 | 1,391                                        | 2,148   | 1,579           |
| Broward      | 75                         | 37                     | 5.3                        | 2,308                                                | 3,785                                                                 | 1,774                                        | 2,457   | 1,898           |
| Calhoun      | 0                          | 1                      | 11.8                       | 34                                                   | 60                                                                    | 49                                           | 44      | 55              |
| Charlotte    | 1                          | 1                      | 1.7                        | 180                                                  | 318                                                                   | 206                                          | 275     | 246             |
| Citrus       | 4                          | 4                      | 8.2                        | 183                                                  | 300                                                                   | 271                                          | 314     | 245             |
| Clay         | 5                          | 3                      | 3.1                        | 396                                                  | 679                                                                   | 259                                          | 253     | 183             |
| Collier      | 11                         | 10                     | 10.7                       | 410                                                  | 684                                                                   | 278                                          | 415     | 306             |
| Columbia     | 7                          | 4                      | 10.2                       | 156                                                  | 249                                                                   | 163                                          | 219     | 124             |
| Dade         | 126                        | 69                     | 5.4                        | 5,312                                                | 8,619                                                                 | 2,854                                        | 3,618   | 2,567           |
| DeSoto       | 1                          | 3                      | 18.5                       | 56                                                   | 97                                                                    | 65                                           | 34      | 23              |
| Dixie        | 0                          | 1                      | 12.2                       | 25                                                   | 37                                                                    | 113                                          | 150     | 84              |
| Duval        | 54                         | 21                     | 4.6                        | 2,087                                                | 3,326                                                                 | 1,860                                        | 2,342   | 1,312           |
| Escambia     | 21                         | 7                      | 3.4                        | 764                                                  | 1,269                                                                 | 646                                          | 1,285   | 665             |
| Flagler      | 2                          | 2                      | 10.3                       | 74                                                   | 117                                                                   | 66                                           | 99      | 55              |
| Franklin     | 2                          | 0                      | 0.0                        | 27                                                   | 40                                                                    | 42                                           | 57      | 17              |
| Gadsden      | 6                          | 2                      | 6.2                        | 86                                                   | 140                                                                   | 167                                          | 262     | 215             |
| Gilchrist    | 0                          | 2                      | 17.5                       | 17                                                   | 29                                                                    | 85                                           | 87      | 89              |
| Glades       | 0                          | 0                      | 0.0                        | 6                                                    | 9                                                                     | 16                                           | 6       | 2               |
| Gulf         | 1                          | 1                      | 11.4                       | 4                                                    | 4                                                                     | 34                                           | 51      | 53              |
| Hamilton     | 1                          | 1                      | 9.1                        | 34                                                   | 57                                                                    | 21                                           | 49      | 16              |
| Hardee       | 4                          | 0                      | 0.0                        | 44                                                   | 76                                                                    | 72                                           | 114     | 77              |
| Hendry       | 2                          | 2                      | 8.7                        | 68                                                   | 121                                                                   | 59                                           | 94      | 18              |
| Hernando     | 4                          | 8                      | 13.5                       | 211                                                  | 362                                                                   | 349                                          | 552     | 443             |
| Highlands    | 4                          | 3                      | 8.3                        | 162                                                  | 270                                                                   | 353                                          | 422     | 332             |
| Hillsborough | 47                         | 39                     | 6.9                        | 2,477                                                | 4,127                                                                 | 2,841                                        | 4,780   | 3,118           |
| Holmes       | 4                          | 1                      | 8.5                        | 47                                                   | 67                                                                    | 85                                           | 145     | 139             |
| Indian River | 3                          | 5                      | 9.9                        | 194                                                  | 319                                                                   | 175                                          | 219     | 176             |
| Jackson      | 4                          | 1                      | 2.9                        | 121                                                  | 189                                                                   | 188                                          | 219     | 198             |
| Jefferson    | 2                          | 0                      | 0.0                        | 132                                                  | 203                                                                   | 37                                           | 45      | 35              |

## Appendix H. Child Well-Being, 1996

| Location   | Child Deaths<br>Age 1 - 14 | Teen Violent<br>Deaths | Teen Violent<br>Death Rate | Dissolutions of<br>Marriage with<br>Children Age <18 | Minimum Number of<br>Children Affected by<br>Dissolutions of Marriage | Maltreatments<br>in Reports Closed (1996/97) |         |                 |
|------------|----------------------------|------------------------|----------------------------|------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------|---------|-----------------|
|            |                            |                        |                            |                                                      |                                                                       | Abuse                                        | Neglect | Threatened Harm |
| Lafayette  | 0                          | 0                      | 0.0                        | 16                                                   | 26                                                                    | 535                                          | 863     | 765             |
| Lake       | 10                         | 2                      | 2.3                        | 430                                                  | 722                                                                   | 12                                           | 6       | 13              |
| Lee        | 27                         | 10                     | 5.3                        | 924                                                  | 1,519                                                                 | 683                                          | 857     | 663             |
| Leon       | 9                          | 10                     | 4.4                        | 416                                                  | 665                                                                   | 557                                          | 716     | 561             |
| Levy       | 2                          | 2                      | 10.8                       | 51                                                   | 83                                                                    | 178                                          | 234     | 215             |
| Liberty    | 0                          | 0                      | 0.0                        | 15                                                   | 21                                                                    | 31                                           | 73      | 41              |
| Madison    | 1                          | 3                      | 23.4                       | 31                                                   | 54                                                                    | 72                                           | 56      | 42              |
| Manatee    | 6                          | 9                      | 8.0                        | 348                                                  | 588                                                                   | 952                                          | 1,443   | 1,116           |
| Marion     | 11                         | 5                      | 3.9                        | 574                                                  | 998                                                                   | 1,010                                        | 1,216   | 961             |
| Martin     | 2                          | 2                      | 3.8                        | 223                                                  | 383                                                                   | 147                                          | 194     | 166             |
| Monroe     | 1                          | 1                      | 2.9                        | 138                                                  | 230                                                                   | 172                                          | 262     | 114             |
| Nassau     | 3                          | 4                      | 11.2                       | 115                                                  | 200                                                                   | 127                                          | 160     | 76              |
| Okaloosa   | 4                          | 10                     | 9.4                        | 553                                                  | 936                                                                   | 581                                          | 748     | 734             |
| Okeechobee | 2                          | 3                      | 13.2                       | 83                                                   | 147                                                                   | 102                                          | 145     | 111             |
| Orange     | 38                         | 31                     | 5.8                        | 1,668                                                | 2,815                                                                 | 2,717                                        | 4,317   | 2,472           |
| Osceola    | 6                          | 6                      | 6.4                        | 374                                                  | 655                                                                   | 500                                          | 481     | 360             |
| Palm Beach | 64                         | 37                     | 7.7                        | 1,898                                                | 3,194                                                                 | 1,378                                        | 2,071   | 1,619           |
| Pasco      | 12                         | 13                     | 9.1                        | 575                                                  | 992                                                                   | 718                                          | 944     | 731             |
| Pinellas   | 34                         | 23                     | 5.5                        | 1,651                                                | 2,635                                                                 | 2,536                                        | 3,441   | 2,269           |
| Polk       | 28                         | 10                     | 3.7                        | 1,233                                                | 2,097                                                                 | 1,545                                        | 2,182   | 1,485           |
| Putnam     | 8                          | 1                      | 2.2                        | 206                                                  | 371                                                                   | 178                                          | 364     | 238             |
| St. Johns  | 7                          | 6                      | 9.6                        | 232                                                  | 397                                                                   | 389                                          | 499     | 649             |
| St. Lucie  | 11                         | 4                      | 4.1                        | 397                                                  | 647                                                                   | 628                                          | 675     | 568             |
| Santa Rosa | 9                          | 4                      | 6.0                        | 259                                                  | 434                                                                   | 542                                          | 574     | 499             |
| Sarasota   | 8                          | 8                      | 6.5                        | 658                                                  | 1,110                                                                 | 262                                          | 372     | 293             |
| Seminole   | 10                         | 10                     | 4.6                        | 773                                                  | 1,345                                                                 | 354                                          | 393     | 266             |
| Sumter     | 4                          | 1                      | 3.9                        | 103                                                  | 171                                                                   | 106                                          | 136     | 73              |
| Suwannee   | 2                          | 5                      | 21.8                       | 89                                                   | 148                                                                   | 89                                           | 117     | 73              |
| Taylor     | 1                          | 0                      | 0.0                        | 71                                                   | 117                                                                   | 52                                           | 196     | 109             |
| Union      | 2                          | 0                      | 0.0                        | 9                                                    | 12                                                                    | 47                                           | 76      | 53              |
| Volusia    | 19                         | 11                     | 4.8                        | 948                                                  | 1,534                                                                 | 1,041                                        | 1,298   | 835             |
| Wakulla    | 3                          | 3                      | 22.1                       | 19                                                   | 29                                                                    | 98                                           | 121     | 110             |
| Walton     | 0                          | 1                      | 4.7                        | 92                                                   | 138                                                                   | 104                                          | 192     | 171             |
| Washington | 1                          | 0                      | 0.0                        | 31                                                   | 47                                                                    | 68                                           | 150     | 96              |



## Appendix I. Enrollment, 1996/1997

| Location     | Public Student Enrollment PreK - 12 Fall Count |           |         |          | Non-Public Student Enrollment<br>PreK - 12 February Count |
|--------------|------------------------------------------------|-----------|---------|----------|-----------------------------------------------------------|
|              | Total                                          | White     | Black   | Hispanic | Total                                                     |
| Florida      | 2,239,411                                      | 1,270,133 | 567,689 | 356,526  | 329,961                                                   |
| Alachua      | 29,647                                         | 16,941    | 11,025  | 973      | 3,427                                                     |
| Baker        | 4,630                                          | 3,824     | 778     | 10       | 9                                                         |
| Bay          | 25,667                                         | 20,803    | 3,893   | 360      | 1,943                                                     |
| Bradford     | 4,192                                          | 3,192     | 938     | 27       | 90                                                        |
| Brevard      | 66,664                                         | 53,160    | 9,730   | 2,435    | 9,943                                                     |
| Broward      | 215,557                                        | 101,914   | 76,289  | 31,226   | 37,428                                                    |
| Calhoun      | 2,288                                          | 1,897     | 342     | 35       | 0                                                         |
| Charlotte    | 16,088                                         | 14,003    | 1,362   | 506      | 939                                                       |
| Citrus       | 14,194                                         | 12,988    | 651     | 361      | 787                                                       |
| Clay         | 25,940                                         | 22,358    | 2,339   | 668      | 3,462                                                     |
| Collier      | 28,177                                         | 17,668    | 3,155   | 7,083    | 2,837                                                     |
| Columbia     | 9,263                                          | 6,712     | 2,286   | 174      | 387                                                       |
| Dade         | 341,115                                        | 46,137    | 114,750 | 175,507  | 68,512                                                    |
| DeSoto       | 4,616                                          | 2,808     | 997     | 786      | 51                                                        |
| Dixie        | 2,323                                          | 2,077     | 232     | 13       | 45                                                        |
| Duval        | 126,116                                        | 67,783    | 51,275  | 3,532    | 24,621                                                    |
| Escambia     | 45,775                                         | 27,633    | 16,075  | 548      | 7,180                                                     |
| Flagler      | 5,677                                          | 4,466     | 821     | 286      | 280                                                       |
| Franklin     | 1,589                                          | 1,286     | 280     | 13       | 235                                                       |
| Gadsden      | 8,551                                          | 703       | 7,272   | 566      | 773                                                       |
| Gilchrist    | 2,651                                          | 2,465     | 151     | 28       | 314                                                       |
| Glades       | 1,149                                          | 587       | 307     | 240      | 20                                                        |
| Gulf         | 2,345                                          | 1,867     | 450     | 15       | 175                                                       |
| Hamilton     | 2,338                                          | 1,059     | 1,189   | 85       | 12                                                        |
| Hardee       | 5,377                                          | 2,515     | 499     | 2,342    | 35                                                        |
| Hendry       | 7,257                                          | 3,173     | 1,476   | 2,527    | 381                                                       |
| Hernando     | 15,860                                         | 13,719    | 1,223   | 776      | 1,764                                                     |
| Highlands    | 11,030                                         | 7,062     | 2,387   | 1,448    | 611                                                       |
| Hillsborough | 147,897                                        | 82,765    | 35,675  | 26,072   | 23,571                                                    |
| Holmes       | 3,831                                          | 3,661     | 124     | 21       | 3                                                         |
| Indian River | 13,984                                         | 10,425    | 2,483   | 943      | 1,965                                                     |
| Jackson      | 8,098                                          | 5,318     | 2,652   | 91       | 256                                                       |
| Jefferson    | 2,126                                          | 646       | 1,469   | 4        | 347                                                       |

## Appendix I. Enrollment, 1996/1997

| Location   | Public Student Enrollment PreK - 12 Fall Count |        |        |          | Non-Public Student Enrollment<br>PreK - 12 February Count |
|------------|------------------------------------------------|--------|--------|----------|-----------------------------------------------------------|
|            | Total                                          | White  | Black  | Hispanic | Total                                                     |
| Lafayette  | 1,109                                          | 930    | 132    | 47       | 0                                                         |
| Lake       | 26,131                                         | 19,675 | 4,657  | 1,526    | 2,644                                                     |
| Lee        | 52,319                                         | 37,190 | 8,304  | 6,132    | 6,052                                                     |
| Leon       | 31,569                                         | 18,371 | 12,173 | 504      | 6,249                                                     |
| Levy       | 5,918                                          | 4,633  | 1,102  | 149      | 46                                                        |
| Liberty    | 1,247                                          | 1,048  | 165    | 32       | 0                                                         |
| Madison    | 3,479                                          | 1,422  | 2,015  | 35       | 328                                                       |
| Manatee    | 32,777                                         | 22,827 | 5,929  | 3,727    | 3,221                                                     |
| Marion     | 36,242                                         | 25,909 | 8,010  | 2,000    | 6,151                                                     |
| Martin     | 14,824                                         | 11,397 | 1,847  | 1,434    | 2,077                                                     |
| Monroe     | 9,379                                          | 6,816  | 876    | 1,560    | 922                                                       |
| Nassau     | 10,235                                         | 8,891  | 1,221  | 73       | 446                                                       |
| Okaloosa   | 30,067                                         | 24,234 | 3,844  | 894      | 1,904                                                     |
| Okeechobee | 6,596                                          | 4,644  | 569    | 1,221    | 152                                                       |
| Orange     | 129,137                                        | 65,429 | 36,807 | 22,162   | 21,044                                                    |
| Osceola    | 27,374                                         | 16,120 | 2,626  | 7,821    | 2,683                                                     |
| Palm Beach | 137,663                                        | 74,098 | 40,710 | 19,634   | 28,140                                                    |
| Pasco      | 43,461                                         | 38,616 | 1,739  | 2,516    | 2,304                                                     |
| Pinellas   | 107,077                                        | 80,384 | 20,293 | 3,365    | 18,713                                                    |
| Polk       | 74,819                                         | 50,235 | 17,526 | 6,279    | 6,909                                                     |
| Putnam     | 13,297                                         | 8,551  | 3,684  | 963      | 591                                                       |
| St. Johns  | 16,437                                         | 14,055 | 1,931  | 297      | 2,004                                                     |
| St. Lucie  | 27,675                                         | 16,606 | 8,573  | 2,164    | 2,615                                                     |
| Santa Rosa | 20,663                                         | 18,884 | 1,113  | 252      | 785                                                       |
| Sarasota   | 31,912                                         | 26,578 | 3,445  | 1,445    | 5,276                                                     |
| Seminole   | 55,993                                         | 40,198 | 8,166  | 5,962    | 9,019                                                     |
| Sumter     | 5,921                                          | 4,072  | 1,619  | 197      | 32                                                        |
| Suwannee   | 5,851                                          | 4,578  | 1,133  | 120      | 444                                                       |
| Taylor     | 3,840                                          | 2,841  | 949    | 19       | 2                                                         |
| Union      | 2,317                                          | 1,863  | 421    | 24       | 3                                                         |
| Volusia    | 58,004                                         | 43,825 | 9,466  | 4,021    | 6,628                                                     |
| Wakulla    | 4,444                                          | 3,823  | 586    | 15       | 58                                                        |
| Walton     | 5,459                                          | 4,744  | 569    | 73       | 163                                                       |
| Washington | 3,249                                          | 2,553  | 620    | 28       | 6                                                         |

## Appendix J. Disciplinary Actions, Non-Promotions, Dropouts and Graduation Rate, 1996/1997

| Location     | Corporal<br>Punishment | In-School<br>Suspensions | Out-of-School<br>Suspensions | Number of<br>Non-Promotions | Number of<br>Dropouts | Graduation<br>Rate |
|--------------|------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|
| Florida      | 13,817                 | 224,431                  | 215,685                      | 112,948                     | 31,926                | 73.2               |
| Alachua      | 0                      | 3,174                    | 3,585                        | 1,285                       | 473                   | 78.4               |
| Baker        | 641                    | 985                      | 450                          | 326                         | 80                    | 82.3               |
| Bay          | 48                     | 877                      | 1,044                        | 1,149                       | 331                   | 70.8               |
| Bradford     | 215                    | 955                      | 448                          | 274                         | 79                    | 61.2               |
| Brevard      | 0                      | 1,291                    | 3,800                        | 1,591                       | 349                   | 72.4               |
| Broward      | 0                      | 16,048                   | 15,519                       | 5,997                       | 1,780                 | 72.5               |
| Calhoun      | 136                    | 109                      | 178                          | 110                         | 24                    | 68.1               |
| Charlotte    | 0                      | 382                      | 1,498                        | 257                         | 192                   | 74.5               |
| Citrus       | 42                     | 2,079                    | 1,308                        | 381                         | 291                   | 66.7               |
| Clay         | 151                    | 4,054                    | 1,714                        | 1,020                       | 275                   | 83.8               |
| Collier      | 0                      | 3,910                    | 3,428                        | 1,159                       | 435                   | 77.9               |
| Columbia     | 694                    | 1,413                    | 918                          | 456                         | 185                   | 55.9               |
| Dade         | 0                      | 35,031                   | 26,854                       | 18,549                      | 7,942                 | 73.8               |
| DeSoto       | 106                    | 835                      | 367                          | 176                         | 49                    | 85.8               |
| Dixie        | 377                    | 487                      | 334                          | 84                          | 23                    | 42.6               |
| Duval        | 1,684                  | 6,015                    | 19,765                       | 10,428                      | 2,303                 | 68.7               |
| Escambia     | 316                    | 5,950                    | 5,313                        | 1,436                       | 217                   | 68.3               |
| Flagler      | 18                     | 1,126                    | 498                          | 97                          | 31                    | 88.7               |
| Franklin     | 132                    | 113                      | 142                          | 63                          | 2                     | 74.1               |
| Gadsden      | 700                    | 1,069                    | 1,131                        | 624                         | 231                   | 51.4               |
| Gilchrist    | 309                    | 269                      | 305                          | 155                         | 34                    | 87.2               |
| Glades       | 13                     | 0                        | 35                           | 141                         | 18                    | 58.8               |
| Gulf         | 157                    | 444                      | 219                          | 80                          | 11                    | 85.2               |
| Hamilton     | 40                     | 402                      | 373                          | 228                         | 38                    | 64.1               |
| Hardee       | 273                    | 1,212                    | 612                          | 390                         | 64                    | 73.6               |
| Hendry       | 873                    | 1,058                    | 948                          | n/a                         | 135                   | 75.4               |
| Hernando     | 0                      | 2,574                    | 1,588                        | 702                         | 201                   | 84.6               |
| Highlands    | 84                     | 2,716                    | 1,293                        | 626                         | 166                   | 65.0               |
| Hillsborough | 69                     | 11,986                   | 16,338                       | 7,179                       | 1,849                 | 74.0               |
| Holmes       | 402                    | 193                      | 142                          | 187                         | 59                    | 73.2               |
| Indian River | 5                      | 1,937                    | 1,145                        | 544                         | 119                   | 75.9               |
| Jackson      | 830                    | 954                      | 690                          | 357                         | 83                    | 79.7               |
| Jefferson    | 58                     | 403                      | 477                          | 124                         | 25                    | 59.0               |

# Appendix J. Disciplinary Actions, Non-Promotions, Dropouts and Graduation Rate, 1996/1997

| Location   | Corporal Punishment | In-School Suspensions | Out-of-School Suspensions | Number of Non-Promotions | Number of Dropouts | Graduation Rate |
|------------|---------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| Lafayette  | 59                  | 198                   | 76                        | 34                       | 22                 | 68.7            |
| Lake       | 173                 | 1,654                 | 3,234                     | 985                      | 440                | 75.3            |
| Lee        | 123                 | 7,004                 | 5,664                     | 2,119                    | 906                | 83.7            |
| Leon       | 0                   | 342                   | 1,860                     | 1,736                    | 390                | 80.6            |
| Levy       | 183                 | 839                   | 585                       | 352                      | 80                 | 90.9            |
| Liberty    | 132                 | 26                    | 41                        | 83                       | 15                 | 86.4            |
| Madison    | 407                 | 743                   | 236                       | 285                      | 92                 | 70.6            |
| Manatee    | 0                   | 2,740                 | 3,201                     | 1,264                    | 562                | 61.5            |
| Marion     | 600                 | 5,167                 | 5,926                     | 1,968                    | 646                | 76.8            |
| Martin     | 0                   | 1,687                 | 1,173                     | 20                       | 93                 | 78.1            |
| Monroe     | 2                   | 714                   | 683                       | 326                      | 155                | 77.3            |
| Nassau     | 62                  | 1,705                 | 885                       | 496                      | 95                 | 72.7            |
| Okaloosa   | 231                 | 2,500                 | 2,689                     | 864                      | 300                | 82.7            |
| Okeechobee | 30                  | 269                   | 831                       | 332                      | 127                | 69.9            |
| Orange     | 5                   | 13,261                | 14,153                    | 9,991                    | 1,640              | 65.7            |
| Osceola    | 5                   | 683                   | 3,267                     | 1,592                    | 498                | 73.3            |
| Palm Beach | 0                   | 9,746                 | 12,027                    | 8,742                    | 1,879              | 67.2            |
| Pasco      | 0                   | 7,339                 | 3,400                     | 1,435                    | 578                | 72.2            |
| Pinellas   | 0                   | 18,543                | 12,252                    | 5,948                    | 1,348              | 78.4            |
| Polk       | 291                 | 10,102                | 8,746                     | 5,698                    | 1,326              | 69.0            |
| Putnam     | 302                 | 2,350                 | 708                       | 460                      | 135                | 57.1            |
| St. Johns  | 28                  | 1,410                 | 1,599                     | 367                      | 297                | 84.8            |
| St. Lucie  | 0                   | 3,000                 | 3,729                     | 1,419                    | 368                | 62.7            |
| Santa Rosa | 645                 | 1,284                 | 1,164                     | 361                      | 214                | 76.4            |
| Sarasota   | 0                   | 2,118                 | 2,399                     | 1,797                    | 365                | 77.3            |
| Seminole   | 0                   | 5,460                 | 3,848                     | 4,211                    | 392                | 81.4            |
| Sumter     | 5                   | 1,495                 | 748                       | 366                      | 104                | 76.8            |
| Suwannee   | 205                 | 1,011                 | 757                       | 177                      | 94                 | 70.1            |
| Taylor     | 135                 | 1,186                 | 466                       | 198                      | 53                 | 75.5            |
| Union      | 316                 | 349                   | 98                        | 126                      | 18                 | 73.5            |
| Volusia    | 0                   | 7,425                 | 5,862                     | 2,392                    | 452                | 79.8            |
| Wakulla    | 438                 | 921                   | 360                       | 217                      | 40                 | 75.5            |
| Walton     | 585                 | 527                   | 320                       | 302                      | 61                 | 76.4            |
| Washington | 482                 | 499                   | 179                       | 90                       | 20                 | 84.5            |

# Appendix K. Number and Percent Eligible for Free/Reduced Lunch, 1996/1997

| Location     | Number Eligible for<br>Free/Reduced Lunch |         |          | Percent Eligible for<br>Free/Reduced Lunch* |       |          |
|--------------|-------------------------------------------|---------|----------|---------------------------------------------|-------|----------|
|              | White                                     | Black   | Hispanic | White                                       | Black | Hispanic |
| Florida      | 347,489                                   | 394,320 | 217,730  | 35.7                                        | 40.5  | 22.3     |
| Alachua      | 4,097                                     | 8,683   | 451      | 30.4                                        | 64.4  | 3.4      |
| Baker        | 1,326                                     | 609     | 2        | 68.4                                        | 31.4  | 0.1      |
| Bay          | 8,176                                     | 2,914   | 215      | 70.1                                        | 25.0  | 1.8      |
| Bradford     | 1,430                                     | 774     | 20       | 63.8                                        | 34.5  | 0.9      |
| Brevard      | 12,101                                    | 6,220   | 1,218    | 60.8                                        | 31.3  | 6.1      |
| Broward      | 16,349                                    | 46,834  | 14,437   | 20.6                                        | 59.1  | 18.2     |
| Calhoun      | 776                                       | 287     | 21       | 71.3                                        | 26.4  | 1.9      |
| Charlotte    | 5,264                                     | 1,050   | 359      | 78.0                                        | 15.6  | 5.3      |
| Citrus       | 5,341                                     | 427     | 171      | 89.1                                        | 7.1   | 2.9      |
| Clay         | 4,174                                     | 1,180   | 291      | 72.4                                        | 20.5  | 5.1      |
| Collier      | 3,760                                     | 2,549   | 5,583    | 31.3                                        | 21.3  | 46.5     |
| Columbia     | 2,585                                     | 1,717   | 89       | 58.5                                        | 38.8  | 2.0      |
| Dade         | 10,838                                    | 80,336  | 109,315  | 5.4                                         | 39.8  | 54.1     |
| DeSoto       | 1,323                                     | 864     | 688      | 45.9                                        | 30.0  | 33.9     |
| Dixie        | 1,193                                     | 195     | 12       | 85.2                                        | 13.9  | 0.9      |
| Duval        | 19,031                                    | 36,319  | 1,977    | 32.5                                        | 62.1  | 3.4      |
| Escambia     | 10,768                                    | 13,160  | 302      | 42.8                                        | 52.4  | 1.2      |
| Flagler      | 1,390                                     | 572     | 163      | 64.4                                        | 26.5  | 7.6      |
| Franklin     | 626                                       | 228     | 7        | 72.4                                        | 26.4  | 0.8      |
| Gadsden      | 402                                       | 6,194   | 526      | 5.6                                         | 86.9  | 7.4      |
| Gilchrist    | 1,190                                     | 119     | 20       | 89.3                                        | 8.9   | 1.5      |
| Glades       | 239                                       | 221     | 191      | 36.1                                        | 33.4  | 28.9     |
| Gulf         | 761                                       | 340     | 10       | 68.2                                        | 30.5  | 0.9      |
| Hamilton     | 409                                       | 965     | 75       | 28.2                                        | 66.6  | 5.2      |
| Hardee       | 956                                       | 377     | 1,714    | 31.3                                        | 12.3  | 56.1     |
| Hendry       | 1,014                                     | 1,025   | 1,928    | 25.5                                        | 25.7  | 48.4     |
| Hernando     | 5,770                                     | 915     | 542      | 79.2                                        | 12.6  | 7.4      |
| Highlands    | 2,729                                     | 1,867   | 1,096    | 47.6                                        | 32.5  | 19.1     |
| Hillsborough | 24,156                                    | 27,758  | 18,684   | 33.6                                        | 38.6  | 26.0     |
| Holmes       | 2,145                                     | 95      | 18       | 94.4                                        | 4.2   | 0.8      |
| Indian River | 2,925                                     | 1,949   | 734      | 51.8                                        | 34.5  | 13.0     |
| Jackson      | 2,183                                     | 2,003   | 59       | 51.2                                        | 47.0  | 1.4      |
| Jefferson    | 267                                       | 1,154   | 3        | 18.7                                        | 80.9  | 0.2      |



# **Appendix K. Number and Percent Eligible for Free/Reduced Lunch, 1996/1997**

| Location   | Number Eligible for Free/Reduced Lunch |        |          | Percent Eligible for Free/Reduced Lunch* |       |          |
|------------|----------------------------------------|--------|----------|------------------------------------------|-------|----------|
|            | White                                  | Black  | Hispanic | White                                    | Black | Hispanic |
| Lafayette  | 428                                    | 111    | 45       | 73.3                                     | 19.0  | 7.7      |
| Lake       | 6,022                                  | 3,407  | 1,104    | 56.7                                     | 32.1  | 10.4     |
| Lee        | 11,458                                 | 6,586  | 4,685    | 49.9                                     | 28.7  | 20.4     |
| Leon       | 2,211                                  | 6,930  | 168      | 23.5                                     | 73.6  | 1.8      |
| Levy       | 2,271                                  | 890    | 108      | 69.1                                     | 27.1  | 3.3      |
| Liberty    | 418                                    | 119    | 16       | 75.6                                     | 21.5  | 2.9      |
| Madison    | 554                                    | 1,612  | 24       | 25.3                                     | 73.5  | 1.1      |
| Manatee    | 6,402                                  | 4,496  | 3,087    | 45.5                                     | 31.9  | 21.9     |
| Marion     | 10,712                                 | 6,235  | 1,387    | 58.1                                     | 33.8  | 7.5      |
| Martin     | 1,993                                  | 1,364  | 1,164    | 43.9                                     | 30.0  | 25.6     |
| Monroe     | 1,593                                  | 634    | 1,005    | 48.6                                     | 19.3  | 30.6     |
| Nassau     | 2,323                                  | 831    | 29       | 72.4                                     | 25.9  | 0.9      |
| Okaloosa   | 6,171                                  | 2,137  | 369      | 68.8                                     | 23.8  | 4.1      |
| Okeechobee | 2,046                                  | 408    | 1,054    | 57.5                                     | 11.5  | 29.6     |
| Orange     | 15,789                                 | 24,814 | 15,024   | 27.6                                     | 43.3  | 26.2     |
| Osceola    | n/a                                    | n/a    | n/a      | n/a                                      | n/a   | n/a      |
| Palm Beach | 9,003                                  | 22,181 | 8,571    | 22.3                                     | 54.9  | 21.2     |
| Pasco      | 15,793                                 | 1,342  | 1,814    | 82.4                                     | 7.0   | 9.5      |
| Pinellas   | 21,705                                 | 15,162 | 2,079    | 53.6                                     | 37.5  | 5.1      |
| Polk       | 20,202                                 | 13,959 | 5,178    | 51.0                                     | 35.2  | 13.1     |
| Putnam     | 4,121                                  | 3,130  | 901      | 50.1                                     | 38.1  | 11.0     |
| St. Johns  | 2,784                                  | 1,471  | 138      | 62.9                                     | 33.2  | 3.1      |
| St. Lucie  | 5,992                                  | 6,944  | 1,628    | 40.7                                     | 47.2  | 11.1     |
| Santa Rosa | 5,489                                  | 671    | 98       | 85.7                                     | 10.5  | 1.5      |
| Sarasota   | 6,830                                  | 2,676  | 1,028    | 63.9                                     | 25.0  | 9.6      |
| Seminole   | 6,270                                  | 4,703  | 2,868    | 44.2                                     | 33.2  | 20.2     |
| Sumter     | 2,138                                  | 1,384  | 175      | 57.4                                     | 37.2  | 4.7      |
| Suwannee   | 1,704                                  | 829    | 88       | 64.8                                     | 31.5  | 3.4      |
| Taylor     | 1,043                                  | 739    | 6        | 58.1                                     | 41.2  | 0.3      |
| Union      | 633                                    | 320    | 22       | 64.7                                     | 32.7  | 2.3      |
| Volusia    | 13,091                                 | 6,854  | 2,848    | 56.9                                     | 29.8  | 12.4     |
| Wakulla    | 1,143                                  | 443    | 10       | 71.2                                     | 27.6  | 0.6      |
| Walton     | 2,237                                  | 462    | 46       | 80.6                                     | 16.7  | 1.7      |
| Washington | 1,168                                  | 480    | 24       | 69.2                                     | 28.4  | 1.4      |

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### Appendix L. Youth and the Law, Cases, 1996/1997

| Location     | White<br>Delinquency<br>Cases Received | African-American<br>Delinquency<br>Cases Received | White<br>Juvenile<br>Detentions | African-American<br>Juvenile<br>Detentions | White<br>Transfers to<br>Adult Court | African-American<br>Transfers to<br>Adult Court |
|--------------|----------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------|
| Florida      | 99,669                                 | 72,273                                            | 15,563                          | 16,041                                     | 2,926                                | 3,577                                           |
| Alachua      | 848                                    | 1,330                                             | 114                             | 223                                        | 38                                   | 74                                              |
| Baker        | 142                                    | 69                                                | 21                              | 21                                         | 3                                    | 9                                               |
| Bay          | 1,250                                  | 484                                               | 188                             | 93                                         | 39                                   | 21                                              |
| Bradford     | 218                                    | 77                                                | 37                              | 21                                         | 7                                    | 4                                               |
| Brevard      | 3,663                                  | 1,617                                             | 653                             | 424                                        | 42                                   | 42                                              |
| Broward      | 5,772                                  | 8,621                                             | 565                             | 1,762                                      | 117                                  | 260                                             |
| Calhoun      | 40                                     | 49                                                | 13                              | 14                                         | 2                                    | 2                                               |
| Charlotte    | 802                                    | 96                                                | 123                             | 24                                         | 13                                   | 9                                               |
| Citrus       | 759                                    | 50                                                | 158                             | 13                                         | 13                                   | 5                                               |
| Clay         | 1,193                                  | 299                                               | 182                             | 58                                         | 20                                   | 10                                              |
| Collier      | 1,717                                  | 414                                               | 415                             | 140                                        | 11                                   | 9                                               |
| Columbia     | 367                                    | 253                                               | 64                              | 45                                         | 15                                   | 8                                               |
| Dade         | 9,157                                  | 11,220                                            | 550                             | 1,462                                      | 503                                  | 787                                             |
| DeSoto       | 189                                    | 196                                               | 37                              | 24                                         | 4                                    | 7                                               |
| Dixie        | 92                                     | 19                                                | 10                              | 2                                          | 1                                    | 1                                               |
| Duval        | 3,914                                  | 5,410                                             | 942                             | 1,623                                      | 69                                   | 125                                             |
| Escambia     | 1,385                                  | 1,606                                             | 351                             | 505                                        | 117                                  | 170                                             |
| Flagler      | 391                                    | 116                                               | 19                              | 5                                          | 13                                   | 6                                               |
| Franklin     | 127                                    | 47                                                | 11                              | 19                                         | 4                                    | 4                                               |
| Gadsden      | 73                                     | 545                                               | 3                               | 152                                        | 0                                    | 19                                              |
| Gilchrist    | 125                                    | 13                                                | 16                              | 2                                          | 8                                    | 1                                               |
| Glades       | 29                                     | 16                                                | 3                               | 0                                          | 0                                    | 0                                               |
| Gulf         | 96                                     | 27                                                | 19                              | 6                                          | 4                                    | 0                                               |
| Hamilton     | 52                                     | 110                                               | 10                              | 22                                         | 5                                    | 17                                              |
| Hardee       | 327                                    | 100                                               | 36                              | 21                                         | 6                                    | 9                                               |
| Hendry       | 395                                    | 161                                               | 62                              | 35                                         | 8                                    | 3                                               |
| Hernando     | 777                                    | 145                                               | 191                             | 54                                         | 40                                   | 6                                               |
| Highlands    | 646                                    | 265                                               | 92                              | 47                                         | 20                                   | 10                                              |
| Hillsborough | 7,835                                  | 6,832                                             | 1,221                           | 1,564                                      | 385                                  | 556                                             |
| Holmes       | 135                                    | 18                                                | 33                              | 6                                          | 3                                    | 0                                               |
| Indian River | 736                                    | 317                                               | 95                              | 56                                         | 13                                   | 14                                              |
| Jackson      | 189                                    | 155                                               | 21                              | 36                                         | 5                                    | 6                                               |
| Jefferson    | 40                                     | 104                                               | 4                               | 26                                         | 1                                    | 7                                               |

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| Location   | White<br>Delinquency<br>Cases Received | African-American<br>Delinquency<br>Cases Received | White<br>Juvenile<br>Detentions | African-American<br>Juvenile<br>Detentions | White<br>Transfers to<br>Adult Court | African-American<br>Transfers to<br>Adult Court |
|------------|----------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------|
| Lafayette  | 16                                     | 16                                                | 4                               | 2                                          | 1                                    | 2                                               |
| Lake       | 1,567                                  | 738                                               | 309                             | 182                                        | 30                                   | 12                                              |
| Lee        | 2,730                                  | 1,154                                             | 525                             | 340                                        | 36                                   | 43                                              |
| Leon       | 1,061                                  | 1,403                                             | 127                             | 217                                        | 23                                   | 47                                              |
| Levy       | 195                                    | 107                                               | 20                              | 17                                         | 2                                    | 2                                               |
| Liberty    | 24                                     | 6                                                 | 2                               | 1                                          | 1                                    | 0                                               |
| Madison    | 74                                     | 128                                               | 9                               | 24                                         | 7                                    | 12                                              |
| Manatee    | 2,340                                  | 1,196                                             | 456                             | 285                                        | 73                                   | 75                                              |
| Marion     | 1,894                                  | 750                                               | 313                             | 133                                        | 54                                   | 30                                              |
| Martin     | 803                                    | 300                                               | 68                              | 41                                         | 13                                   | 15                                              |
| Monroe     | 747                                    | 135                                               | 138                             | 33                                         | 23                                   | 5                                               |
| Nassau     | 457                                    | 148                                               | 97                              | 34                                         | 1                                    | 2                                               |
| Okaloosa   | 1,300                                  | 366                                               | 186                             | 89                                         | 33                                   | 24                                              |
| Okeechobee | 334                                    | 141                                               | 85                              | 55                                         | 6                                    | 18                                              |
| Orange     | 5,613                                  | 5,605                                             | 1,125                           | 1,616                                      | 149                                  | 311                                             |
| Osceola    | 1,640                                  | 501                                               | 368                             | 147                                        | 25                                   | 17                                              |
| Palm Beach | 4,811                                  | 4,886                                             | 873                             | 1,380                                      | 175                                  | 227                                             |
| Pasco      | 2,757                                  | 283                                               | 356                             | 79                                         | 147                                  | 11                                              |
| Pinellas   | 6,987                                  | 3,852                                             | 1,175                           | 872                                        | 149                                  | 189                                             |
| Polk       | 4,410                                  | 2,739                                             | 746                             | 569                                        | 65                                   | 61                                              |
| Putnam     | 563                                    | 577                                               | 112                             | 119                                        | 11                                   | 14                                              |
| St. Johns  | 610                                    | 325                                               | 78                              | 72                                         | 10                                   | 29                                              |
| St. Lucie  | 977                                    | 893                                               | 160                             | 188                                        | 12                                   | 40                                              |
| Santa Rosa | 727                                    | 94                                                | 133                             | 18                                         | 72                                   | 5                                               |
| Sarasota   | 1,838                                  | 797                                               | 186                             | 167                                        | 53                                   | 37                                              |
| Seminole   | 2,904                                  | 1,160                                             | 558                             | 273                                        | 73                                   | 43                                              |
| Sumter     | 277                                    | 179                                               | 58                              | 60                                         | 6                                    | 6                                               |
| Suwannee   | 220                                    | 104                                               | 37                              | 19                                         | 16                                   | 8                                               |
| Taylor     | 129                                    | 126                                               | 15                              | 15                                         | 2                                    | 12                                              |
| Union      | 47                                     | 35                                                | 13                              | 9                                          | 0                                    | 0                                               |
| Volusia    | 4,934                                  | 2,105                                             | 643                             | 398                                        | 69                                   | 48                                              |
| Wakulla    | 313                                    | 48                                                | 35                              | 7                                          | 9                                    | 5                                               |
| Walton     | 197                                    | 52                                                | 38                              | 8                                          | 4                                    | 3                                               |
| Washington | 89                                     | 24                                                | 21                              | 11                                         | 0                                    | 3                                               |

### Appendix M. Youth and the Law, Youths, 1996/1997

| Location     | White<br>Delinquent<br>Youths | African-American<br>Delinquent<br>Youths | White<br>Youths<br>Detentions | African-American<br>Youths<br>Detentions | White Youths<br>Transferred to<br>Adult Court | African-American<br>Youths<br>Transferred to<br>Adult Court |
|--------------|-------------------------------|------------------------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|
| Florida      | 65,551                        | 41,585                                   | 10,873                        | 10,436                                   | 2,185                                         | 2,718                                                       |
| Alachua      | 586                           | 773                                      | 82                            | 156                                      | 29                                            | 56                                                          |
| Baker        | 96                            | 42                                       | 15                            | 15                                       | 3                                             | 5                                                           |
| Bay          | 838                           | 310                                      | 144                           | 73                                       | 25                                            | 13                                                          |
| Bradford     | 122                           | 51                                       | 23                            | 15                                       | 5                                             | 4                                                           |
| Brevard      | 2,276                         | 797                                      | 469                           | 258                                      | 33                                            | 33                                                          |
| Broward      | 4,015                         | 4,798                                    | 452                           | 1,143                                    | 81                                            | 195                                                         |
| Calhoun      | 28                            | 30                                       | 9                             | 6                                        | 2                                             | 2                                                           |
| Charlotte    | 576                           | 69                                       | 95                            | 22                                       | 12                                            | 7                                                           |
| Citrus       | 499                           | 36                                       | 110                           | 9                                        | 7                                             | 4                                                           |
| Clay         | 829                           | 186                                      | 122                           | 38                                       | 14                                            | 8                                                           |
| Collier      | 1,077                         | 218                                      | 281                           | 88                                       | 11                                            | 6                                                           |
| Columbia     | 270                           | 167                                      | 45                            | 35                                       | 11                                            | 7                                                           |
| Dade         | 6,494                         | 7,074                                    | 447                           | 1,116                                    | 404                                           | 628                                                         |
| DeSoto       | 132                           | 80                                       | 26                            | 13                                       | 3                                             | 4                                                           |
| Dixie        | 72                            | 17                                       | 9                             | 2                                        | 1                                             | 1                                                           |
| Duval        | 2,739                         | 3,361                                    | 699                           | 1,093                                    | 55                                            | 106                                                         |
| Escambia     | 969                           | 1,035                                    | 284                           | 376                                      | 86                                            | 124                                                         |
| Flagler      | 244                           | 76                                       | 15                            | 5                                        | 8                                             | 3                                                           |
| Franklin     | 88                            | 23                                       | 9                             | 10                                       | 3                                             | 2                                                           |
| Gadsden      | 53                            | 383                                      | 2                             | 116                                      | 0                                             | 17                                                          |
| Gilchrist    | 94                            | 12                                       | 13                            | 2                                        | 4                                             | 1                                                           |
| Glades       | 22                            | 13                                       | 2                             | 0                                        | 0                                             | 0                                                           |
| Gulf         | 61                            | 19                                       | 18                            | 6                                        | 2                                             | 0                                                           |
| Hamilton     | 30                            | 60                                       | 4                             | 15                                       | 4                                             | 11                                                          |
| Hardee       | 210                           | 45                                       | 31                            | 15                                       | 5                                             | 5                                                           |
| Hendry       | 246                           | 96                                       | 40                            | 27                                       | 8                                             | 3                                                           |
| Hernando     | 479                           | 85                                       | 130                           | 35                                       | 27                                            | 6                                                           |
| Highlands    | 414                           | 161                                      | 75                            | 37                                       | 13                                            | 8                                                           |
| Hillsborough | 5,032                         | 3,556                                    | 869                           | 953                                      | 296                                           | 387                                                         |
| Holmes       | 104                           | 8                                        | 21                            | 1                                        | 3                                             | 0                                                           |
| Indian River | 488                           | 193                                      | 73                            | 43                                       | 12                                            | 12                                                          |
| Jackson      | 128                           | 118                                      | 15                            | 30                                       | 5                                             | 4                                                           |
| Jefferson    | 26                            | 59                                       | 3                             | 18                                       | 1                                             | 6                                                           |

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| Location   | White<br>Delinquent<br>Youths | African-American<br>Delinquent<br>Youths | White<br>Youths<br>Detentions | African-American<br>Youths<br>Detentions | White Youths<br>Transferred to<br>Adult Court | African-American<br>Youths<br>Transferred to<br>Adult Court |
|------------|-------------------------------|------------------------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|
| Lafayette  | 15                            | 11                                       | 4                             | 2                                        | 1                                             | 1                                                           |
| Lake       | 1,017                         | 423                                      | 213                           | 133                                      | 17                                            | 9                                                           |
| Lee        | 1,639                         | 601                                      | 360                           | 203                                      | 24                                            | 29                                                          |
| Leon       | 789                           | 917                                      | 102                           | 170                                      | 18                                            | 39                                                          |
| Levy       | 131                           | 74                                       | 18                            | 12                                       | 2                                             | 2                                                           |
| Liberty    | 16                            | 5                                        | 2                             | 1                                        | 1                                             | 0                                                           |
| Madison    | 41                            | 85                                       | 8                             | 16                                       | 4                                             | 10                                                          |
| Manatee    | 1,365                         | 602                                      | 312                           | 174                                      | 43                                            | 57                                                          |
| Marion     | 1,307                         | 500                                      | 212                           | 105                                      | 33                                            | 21                                                          |
| Martin     | 601                           | 179                                      | 54                            | 30                                       | 10                                            | 12                                                          |
| Monroe     | 495                           | 73                                       | 96                            | 23                                       | 20                                            | 4                                                           |
| Nassau     | 307                           | 88                                       | 67                            | 26                                       | 1                                             | 2                                                           |
| Okaloosa   | 924                           | 236                                      | 133                           | 62                                       | 24                                            | 19                                                          |
| Okeechobee | 220                           | 64                                       | 68                            | 32                                       | 5                                             | 11                                                          |
| Orange     | 3,610                         | 3,010                                    | 761                           | 979                                      | 107                                           | 238                                                         |
| Osceola    | 1,036                         | 257                                      | 269                           | 88                                       | 14                                            | 14                                                          |
| Palm Beach | 3,158                         | 2,714                                    | 613                           | 811                                      | 141                                           | 170                                                         |
| Pasco      | 1,618                         | 134                                      | 236                           | 42                                       | 108                                           | 11                                                          |
| Pinellas   | 4,243                         | 2,161                                    | 677                           | 509                                      | 118                                           | 142                                                         |
| Polk       | 2,790                         | 1,520                                    | 462                           | 353                                      | 47                                            | 49                                                          |
| Putnam     | 385                           | 313                                      | 89                            | 79                                       | 8                                             | 11                                                          |
| St. Johns  | 416                           | 184                                      | 53                            | 43                                       | 9                                             | 17                                                          |
| St. Lucie  | 701                           | 567                                      | 124                           | 131                                      | 11                                            | 34                                                          |
| Santa Rosa | 524                           | 46                                       | 106                           | 12                                       | 53                                            | 5                                                           |
| Sarasota   | 1,127                         | 402                                      | 135                           | 101                                      | 29                                            | 25                                                          |
| Seminole   | 1,757                         | 623                                      | 364                           | 175                                      | 49                                            | 37                                                          |
| Sumter     | 184                           | 114                                      | 44                            | 40                                       | 4                                             | 4                                                           |
| Suwannee   | 146                           | 62                                       | 29                            | 13                                       | 9                                             | 6                                                           |
| Taylor     | 105                           | 74                                       | 13                            | 15                                       | 2                                             | 6                                                           |
| Union      | 37                            | 26                                       | 11                            | 7                                        | 0                                             | 0                                                           |
| Volusia    | 2,729                         | 1,026                                    | 336                           | 208                                      | 47                                            | 39                                                          |
| Wakulla    | 215                           | 37                                       | 23                            | 6                                        | 6                                             | 5                                                           |
| Walton     | 134                           | 29                                       | 28                            | 8                                        | 4                                             | 2                                                           |
| Washington | 71                            | 14                                       | 17                            | 7                                        | 0                                             | 2                                                           |



## **Terminology and Sources**

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### **Population & Economics**

Total Population - the combination of the white and nonwhite population.

White - includes persons who indicated their race as "White" or reported entries on the U.S. Census, such as Canadian, German, Italian, Lebanese, Near Eastern, Arab, or Polish.

Nonwhite - includes persons who indicated their race as "Black or Negro" or reported entries on the U.S. Census, such as African-American, Afro-American, Black Puerto Rican, Jamaican, Nigerian, West Indian, or Haitian; or persons who classified themselves as American Indian, Eskimo, Aleut; or persons who reported in one of the Asian or Pacific Islander groups; or those persons classified as "Other Race", including multiracial, multiethnic, or a Spanish/Hispanic origin group.

*Division of Economic and Demographic Research, Joint Legislative Management Committee, Tallahassee, Florida. Official population estimates and forecasts were prepared at the Florida Demographic Estimating Conference. Midyear population estimates were also provided.*

### **Births, Deaths, and Child Well-Being**

Vital Statistics - data on births and deaths were reported by the usual "place of residence" (events occurring to Florida residents regardless of the place of occurrence). For births and fetal deaths, the mother's residence was used when it differed from the father's residence. Race entries were usually counted as stated on birth and death certificates, with such designations as "Hispanic" classified as "white". Designations such as "biracial", "multiracial", "mixed", or "nonwhite" are classified as "Other Entries". Data on all live birth and fetal death were based on the race of the mother.

Birth Rate - defined as the number of births per 1,000 resident population. Birth rates were obtained from Florida Vital Statistics. Midyear population estimates were furnished by the Office of Planning & Budgeting, Executive Office of the Governor.

Fertility Rates - the number of births to age specific females per 1,000 female population of the same race and age group.

Teen Births - the number of births to females under age 20.

Low Birth Weight - infants who weighed less than 2,500 grams (5 lbs. 8 oz.) at birth.

Early Prenatal Care - births to mothers of all ages by race, and total who received prenatal care in the first three months of pregnancy.

Infant Mortality Rate - the number of deaths to individuals less than one year of age per 1,000 live births.

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Teen Violent Death Rate - the number of deaths from homicides, suicides, and accidents to teens 15 to 19 years old, per 10,000 teens of the same race and age group. Rates should be interpreted with caution due to low numbers of teens or deaths in some counties.

Initial Report - the initial report made to the hotline alleging maltreatment of a child by a parent, adult household member, or a person responsible for the child's welfare. An abuse report always requires the commencement of a new investigation.

Verified and Some Indication Maltreatment - the investigation determined that the specific injury or harm was the result of abuse, neglect, or threatened harm, or the investigation determined that there were some indicators that abuse, neglect, or threatened harm occurred.

Family Services Response System - a non-adversarial response to reports of child abuse and neglect, through a process of assessing the risk to the child and family and, when appropriate, delivering services to remove the risk to the child and support the integrity of the family.

Children Affected by Dissolution of Marriage - the minimum number of children under age 18 who were affected by the collective number of dissolution's of marriage. Data on marriage and dissolution of marriage are by place of occurrence only; there is no interstate exchange of these records. Florida dissolutions of marriage are granted only to legal residents.

\* an asterisk represents unreliable rates and ratios, those with denominators less than 100.

*Florida Department of Children and Families, Family Safety and Preservation, Florida Abuse Hotline Information System, Tallahassee, Florida.*

*Florida Department of Health, Office of Vital Statistics, Jacksonville, Florida.*

### Education

Public School Enrollment - the number of students enrolled in the Florida public school system. The student membership count is conducted in the Fall of each school year.

Non-Public School Enrollment - the number of students reported as in attendance in a private elementary or secondary school in Florida; based on a February count.

High School Competency Test (HSCT) - an untimed, multiple-choice test of a student's ability to apply basic mathematics and communication skills to real-world situations. It is administered to eleventh grade students and is a statewide graduation requirement. Data

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reflect the percent of eleventh grade students passing each section on the first attempt.

Disciplinary Actions - the number of disciplinary actions, including in-school suspensions, out-of-school suspensions, corporal punishments, expulsions and other alternative placements. More than one disciplinary action per student may have occurred during the year.

Non-Promotion - the retention of a public school student in the same grade rather than advancing the student to the next appropriate grade level.

Dropout - the number of students during the year who were age 16 or over and withdrew or voluntarily removed self from school before graduation for reasons including marriage, entrance into the military, failed HSCT, hardship, court action, expulsion, or pregnancy and did not receive any of the certificates of completion; did not meet the attendance requirements; did not transfer to any other school at any level (including vocational or adult) in or out of Florida; or, exceeded the maximum age for a disabled student in accordance with the district's policy.

Graduation Rate - the percentage is calculated by dividing the number of first time ninth graders into the number of students who receive, four years later, a high school diploma, a certificate of completion, a special certificate of completion, and students 19 years of age or younger who receive a general equivalency diploma.

Free and Reduced School Lunch Program - the National School Lunch Program of the Child Nutrition Program is funded by the U.S. Department of Agriculture and administered through the Florida Department of Education. Schools and Residential Child Care Institutions are eligible to participate in the programs if they are nonprofit and serve children less than 21 years old. Eligibility is based on reported income.

n/a - data not available

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### Youth and the Law

**Cases** - if the same juvenile was referred, for example, for several offenses on the same date, these were counted as one case. If the youth was referred on another date for one or more charges, that would be counted as another case, always selecting the most serious offense for tracking purposes.

**Youths** - the measurement of Youths was developed to measure the number of delinquents in Florida rather than the number of times they get in trouble with the law. If the same youth is referred for several offenses during that year these would not be counted, using only the most serious offense charged during that period.

**Received or Referred** - the number of delinquency referrals reported to the Client Information System (CIS). The number of cases is counted by unduplicating the number of referrals reported received on the CIS by client identifier and the date the referral was received. The number of youths referred is determined by counting only the most serious offense for which a youth is charged during any fiscal year.

**Reported Detentions** - the number of delinquency cases or youths with a placement in detention during the interim between arrest and case disposition.

**Transfers to Adult Court** - the number of juvenile cases or youths reported on the CIS as having jurisdiction transferred for disposition in the state's adult courts. Transfers for processing in adult court can occur by direct filing of a bill of information by a state attorney, a waiver of jurisdiction by a juvenile court judge, or an indictment by a grand jury.

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